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MANY SHIPS ARE DRIVEN ASHORE ON THE CAROLINA AND VIRGINIA COASTS IN STORM

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Distastrous Northeast Gale Sweeps Ocean Driving Ships of All Kinds Ashore—Grave Fear Felt for Lives of Many on High Seas—Numerous Steamers and Schooners in Distress—Some Reported Ashore.

ATLANTIC COAST STATES EXPERIENCE WORST SNOW STORM FOR SEASON IN YEARS

Three Men Killed by Contact With Live Wire Weighted Down by Sleet and Snow at Richmond—Streets of Norfolk Inundated and Great Damage Done—Telephone and Telegraph Lines Down and Trains Delayed.

An Easter storm of unprecedented proportions swept practically the whole Atlantic seaboard yesterday. Snow, driven by a northeast gale, which at times blew 70 miles an hour, held up ocean travel, crippled telegraphic and telephone communication, delayed steam and electric trains and nearly dashed to pieces the hopes of Easter paraders in New York and New England. Early this morning the Weather Bureau said the worst was over and that sunshine might be expected at some places in the stormswept region today.

The only large ocean going steamer reported to be in trouble was the Princess Maurits of the Royal Dutch West Indian Line, which wireless messages said was in distress off Cape Hatteras. It was reported that other ships had gone to her assistance. She carried only four passengers.

In Greater New York nine inches of snow fell, a record for April, and heaviest of the year. It was accompanied by a 60-mile an hour blow and early crippled all surface traffic in the city and environs. Hundreds of accidents occurred. Upwards of 15,000 men attacked the snow and paid special attention to Fifth avenue in an effort to clear it for Easter paraders. In New York and other large cities the snowfall proved a boon to the unemployed.

Norfolk, where no trains arrived during the day, and other places along the Virginia coast were hit hardest by the storm. They also suffered from lack of wire communication.

STREETS OF NORFOLK REPORTED INUNDATED

Norfolk, Va., April 3.—A northeast gale, which swept up the Virginia coast early today, caused serious damage here, although no loss of life had been reported early tonight. High tides inundated many of the principal streets in which water stood three feet deep. Telephone, telegraph, railroad, ferry and street car service was put out of commission.

Swept by the worst storm that has visited this section in many years, the entire Virginia and North Carolina coast is tonight believed to be the scene of many shipwrecks.

A steamer supposed to be the French Maurits (name doubtful but received here as such) was reported in distress in latitude 36.10, longitude 74. An unknown schooner is appealing for assistance off Diamond Shoals and another is displaying distress signals off Gull Shoals.

Reports that a British warship was displaying distress signals off the Capes were received here today but could not be verified. An unknown Dutch steamer is in distress off the Capes, and a British warship has gone to her assistance.

Cutter Driven to Cover.

The coast guard cutter Onondaga has gone to assist several schooners and other craft reported in distress below the Capes. The Onondaga was herself forced to seek shelter out of the storm but late this afternoon again started to the assistance of vessels in distress.

A wireless message picked up by an amateur in Newport News from a Netherland steamer read: "In bad shape, very dangerous, need help at once."

A British warship responded, said: "British warship will reach you at 3 P. M."

The operator said the name of the steamer was sent in code letters, which he did not understand. The government wireless received a call for assistance from an unknown Dutch steamer in distress below the Virginia Capes.

Two unknown schooners, a three-master and a four-master, are ashore near Lynn Haven bay. The seas are so high, coast guards cannot reach them.

An unknown schooner reported ashore off Diamond Shoals tonight is said to be breaking up.

The barges Pacific, Georgia, Henry Emmicott and Nanticoke, each with three men on board, broke away from the tug Resolute between Hog Island and Cape Henry during the height of the storm this morning. No news had been received from these vessels up to a late hour tonight.

Cape Charles lightship was torn from her moorings by the storm and at last reports was drifting out on the Atlantic ocean. She was last sighted off Virginia Beach. Two unknown British steamers endeavored to get a line to her but failed.

Submarine D-2 was torn from her moorings at Old Point, but managed to reach Newport News without serious difficulty.

THREE MEN ARE KILLED IN STORM AT RICHMOND

Richmond, Va., April 3.—Three lives were lost today ina storm which buried Richmond deep under a blanket of snow and practically cut this city off from communication with the outside world. C. P. Moxley, a merchant, J. R. Chault and Charles H. Beedles, came into contact with a live wire borne down by the weight of the snow and were instantly killed. Three horses were also killed and two horses of the Richmond Fire Department met death in a similar manner.

The storm struck Richmond early today bringing with it several inches of snow and a high wind.

It continued until late in the day. Wires in all directions were broken down and for several hours there was no communication out of this city except by train.

Late tonight communication has been restored partially. The telephone service is partly destroyed, 1,500 phones being out of commission and 350 poles down. Not one long distance line out of Richmond is working. A large part of the city tonight is in darkness, the current having been cut off because of fallen wires.

Railway service is badly crippled and all trains are hours late. On the Seaboard Air Line railway, 500 telegraph poles are down; on the Norfolk & Western railway 500 poles gave under the snow and wind, while on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad, there is a stretch of four miles, it is believed, with not one pole standing. Many of these poles have fallen across the tracks and must be cut away before trains can get there.

SEVERE AT NEW YORK

Several Trans-Atlantic Liners Brave Storm and Start on Trip Across.

New York, April 3.—The wind shifting to the north late today and the fall of snow becoming a little lighter, the steamships New York of the American line and the Cameronia of the Anchor Line, ventured out. The New York, bound for Liverpool carried 120 cabin passengers and the Cameronia started for Glasgow with 20 persons in her cabins. The Cunarder Lusitania and the Duca O'Aosta of the Italian Royal Mail Line were the only Trans-Atlantic liners held in port by the storm.

The steamer Hamilton of the Old Dominion Line arrived tonight from Newport News and Norfolk.

All in-coming trains from the South were late. The Pennsylvania railroad reported that most of the delay was due to late connections with trains south of Washington.

The snowfall broke all existing records for April, nine inches having fallen during the day.

Pinehurst, N. C., April 3.—Stormy weather today interrupted play in the United North and South Golf tournament here.

Memphis, Tenn., April 3.—The Boston Americans pounded three Memphis Southern Association pitchers here today and won, 7 to 2.

WORST STORM IN HISTORY OF EASTERN AND CENTRAL PARTS OF NORTH CAROLINA

Business Demoralized in Score of Cities and Towns—Nearly Two Feet of Snow at Raleigh—Power Lines Wrecked, Factories Shut Down, Thousands Rendered Idle—Trains Interrupted—Water High at Newbern.

Raleigh, N. C., April 3.—The worst storm in the history of Central and Eastern North Carolina swept this section late last night and early today, wrecking miles of telephone, telegraph and power lines and completely demoralizing business in a score of cities and towns within a radius of 75 miles. Nearly two feet of snow fell here. It was accompanied by wind which at times reached a velocity of 60 miles an hour, wrecking a number of houses in the outskirts of the city and filling the streets with a tangle of trees, poles and wires. Similar reports come from Durham and other cities.

No loss of life has been reported, although a number of people were injured.

Communication with the outside has been interrupted nearly 24 hours. Telephone and telegraph officials were unable to say when they could re-establish communication.

Thousands Out of Work.

Thousands of employes of cotton mills and other industries will be idle for a week or more owing to the storm wrecking power lines.

WORST SINCE 1913 AT NEWBERN.

Tide Rises Six Feet—Wire and Railroads Demoralized.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., April 3.—Not since September 3, 1913, has Newbern and this portion of Eastern North Carolina been visited by such a storm and flood as that which swept over this section late Friday night and early this morning. At times the wind reached a velocity of 60 miles an hour and the water in Neuse and Trent rivers rose six feet or more, flooding the lowlands and causing much damage. A peculiar fact about the storm was the accompaniment of vivid lightning and thunder which was so heavy that many thought the reverberations were earthquakes. Friday night was indeed a memorable night and will be long remembered by those in this section.

In Newbern the storm reached its highest velocity about midnight and from that time on until daybreak it continued unabated. Telephone and telegraph poles were blown down, wires broken, tin roofs torn from their fastenings, windows smashed and in fact everything that was not securely fastened down was blown away. The water in Neuse river rose six feet and that in Trent river had about an equal rise. Practically little damage was done right here in the city by the high tide, but in nearby towns along the rivers the damage is reported as heavy.

Much Damage at Oriental.

At Oriental, Pamlico county, the storm struck in its full velocity and much of the town was inundated while great damage was done by the wind. Down in Beaufort and Morehead City the high tide did considerable damage and the wind also played havoc.

Telephone and telegraph wires were torn down all over the section. The Western Union Telegraph Company's lines were demoralized early in the day and only a few wires are working tonight. The Postal Company was practically put out of business. The Norfolk Southern's lines are also in bad shape.

Trains Barred by Poles.

On the Oriental division of the Norfolk Southern road so many poles were down that the operation of trains on the regular schedule was impossible, but they managed to get one train through during the day. On the Beaufort division trains were operated with extreme care. Between Newbern and Chocowinity the line was not in such bad shape but between Chocowinity and Raleigh so many poles were blown down that trains were delayed for hours and the schedules were completely demoralized.

Fears for Ocracoke.

Grave fears are entertained for the safety of Ocracoke and other isolated towns in that section. Those places are located in the most exposed points on the Atlantic coast and it is feared that the damage done there was much greater than in the towns further inland.

DEEP SNOW AT RALEIGH.

City in Darkness, Wires Out of Commission, Conditions Break Record.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 3.—The people of Raleigh awoke this morning to find the city enveloped in a veritable snow storm, the worst of the entire winter. The rain had turned to snow about 10 o'clock last night and the snowfall was steady throughout the night. The fall of snow at 10 o'clock this morning was declared by the local weather bureau to be ten inches and the fall continued as the day advanced.

The Carolina Power & Light Co., was obliged to cut off current on account of the danger to the city from broken wires. The street cars were snowbound, even if there had been current to operate them. The snow clung to the overhead wires with remarkable tenacity and great numbers of wires broke and numbers of poles also gave way. All the telephone lines were put out of commission except some few in the small area of the city that is served by underground wires. There is every indication that it will be impossible to get the wires cleared in time to admit of the electric current for lights to be turned on any time tonight.

Not since the weather bureau has been established here has there been anything like the snow fall that has this section in its grip now. The nearest approach to it was April 4, 1899, when there was a snow fall of 3 1-2 inches. "Oldest inhabitants" recall an Easter snow storm some years before the weather bureau was established in which there was a fall of about six inches.

It is conceded that the damage to wires and to property in other ways by the present snow storm will be immense here.

SIX INCHES DEEP AT WILSON

City Entirely Cut Off From World, Every Wire Down.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., April 3.—This entire section is storm swept today. There is no communication with the outside world either by telephone or telegraph. Every wire of both the Western Union and Postal companies is down and linemen are working in every direction. All toll lines of the Southern Bell company are out of commission.

Early Friday afternoon rain began falling and this was followed by snow as dark approached. For sixteen hours the snow storm has continued and six inches of snow now cover the ground and if the ground had been frozen no man can tell what the depth would have been.

The trains on the Atlantic Coast Line are running close to schedule time, but the Norfolk Southern trains are badly out of time.

At 1 o'clock today the outlook is for a continuation of the storm.

SNOW THREE INCHES DEEP

Wire and Railroad Traffic Demoralized Around Fayetteville.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., April 3.—Fayetteville is tonight cut off from telegraphic communication with every other large town in the State and country except Wilmington, as a result of a snow storm which broke over the city and section last night about 10 o'clock and continued until noon today.

Railroad traffic is badly demoralized, trains are running with the exception of the Atlantic Coast Line New York and Florida Special, No. 87, which was to pass here early this morning but was annulled.

There was three inches of snow on the ground when the fall ceased at noon. Though a little snow has fallen off and on since then, the temperature has been moderating rapidly, and there is little snow left on the ground tonight. The storm began as a rain and wind storm yesterday evening and it was this that wrought most of the damage to the telegraph and telephone lines. Had it not been for the rain which preceded it, the snow probably would have reached a considerable depth.

WILMINGTON MAN FOR SECRETARY OF STATE

Capt. Haywood Clark Would Succeed Colonel Grimes.

Popular A. C. L. Conductor, Said to Have Strong Backing for State Office—Announcement from Reliable Source.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., April 3.—Capt. Haywood Clark, of Wilmington, for many years one of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad's most popular conductors, has decided to make the race for Secretary of State against J. Bryan Grimes, the present incumbent. It has been understood for some time that J. A. Hartness, of Statesville, also will be a candidate.

The fact that Captain Clark intends to oppose Mr. Grimes comes from a highly reliable source. A man here today in close touch with political affairs in North Carolina declared that Clark would not only run but that he would make things lively. Captain Clark is immensely popular in the State.

The railroad vote in North Carolina is a considerable factor. It is understood that the Order of Railway Conductors and all other labor organizations have decided to back Clark for

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GERMAN CRUISER PRINZ EITEL YET IN NEWPORT NEWS

No Signs of Making Dash for the High Seas—Most of Crew Ashore.

REPORTED AS INTERNED

Washington, However, Says If Interned Will Be Known Immediately

Norfolk, Va., April 3.—With most of her crew enjoying themselves on shore, the German auxiliary cruiser Eitel Friedrich made no attempt to leave Newport News tonight for her long expected dash for the sea.

A large number of her crew, accompanied by non-commissioned officers from Fortress Monroe, witnessed a moving picture performance in Newport News today. No British ship cleared from this port since Friday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock so far as the official records show, and it was thought that the Eitel Friedrich would take advantage of this and make a dash for the sea.

While there were reports that the German vessel had interned, no one would say so, and there are others who believe that the ship still intends to make an effort to leave this port.

Reports that several British warships off Cape Henry had been damaged by the storm which swept this coast last night, and were going to Halifax to repair reached here today. At a late hour tonight the Eitel was still at her pier and there were no indications that she contemplated making a dash for the sea tonight.

KNOWN IF SHE INTERNS.

No Reason to Keep Matter Quiet if Cruiser Asks to be Interned.

Washington, April 3.—Secretary Daniels informed President Wilson early tonight that the Prinz Eitel still was at Newport News. All messages relating to the ship were communicated to the President as soon as received.

The fact that a blinding snow storm over the Virginia Capes provided an ideal opportunity for the Eitel to escape spread the impression here that the ship might have attempted to run the cordon of Allied cruisers.

The Navy Department took added precautions today to prevent any domestic wireless from recording the time of the Eitel's departure or send any information concerning her, for fear belligerent cruisers at sea might pick up such messages and afford Germany a ground for complaint of violation of neutrality.

It was intimated that Rear Admiral Beatty at Norfolk and the commander of the American ships on guard near Newport News had instructions to send nothing by wireless concerning the Eitel unless a situation arose requiring advice from Washington.

Navy and State Department officials indicated they probably would not comment on the Eitel's movements until at least 24 hours had elapsed after her departure, although any announcement as to internment would be made instantly.

The extensive preparations made by the Eitel for another cruise have confused naval officers here in their speculations as to what the Eitel really will do but the opinion still prevails with most of them that the vessel probably will be interned as soon as her time limit for repairs has expired.

DEATH AT LUMBERTON

Mr. Austin McMillan Passes Away, Result of Poisoning.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Lumberton, N. C., April 3.—Mr. Austin McMillan, died at the Thompson Hospital tonight about 8 o'clock as the result of taking poison through mistake Saturday night. His death came as a great shock to a large circle of friends who thought his condition sufficiently improved as to bring him out of danger. Mr. McMillan in getting up during the night, took the poison by mistake in the darkness, the decoction being bichloride of mercury that had been used about the house for disinfecting purposes. He was 31 years old. The funeral hour has not been announced as yet, but the services will take place some time Monday.

The weather is fair here at 11 o'clock tonight after the storm of yesterday, but there is still plenty of snow in evidence.

FRENCH CLAIM ADVANTAGES.

German Aeroplane Brought Down—Aviators Taken Prisoners.

Paris, April 3, (By Wireless to London)—The war office made this announcement this afternoon:

"In the regions of the Sommer Laboiselle and Dompierre mining warfare continued with noticeable advantages for the French. The total number of prisoners taken at the Forest of LePretre, northwest of Pont-A-Mousson, March 30th, to April 1st, is more than 200, including six officers.

"A German aeroplane was brought down yesterday, after dropping bombs on Rheims. When fired on it immediately came to earth. The two aviators who were unhurt, were taken prisoners."

ST. LOUIS AMERICANS LOSE TO THE ST. LOUIS NATIONALS

St. Louis, April 3.—In the third game of the city series today the Americans lost to the Nationals, 2 to 1.

Nationals	2	6	1
Americans	1	8	1

Doak, Nieheus and Snyder; Perryman, Baumgardner, Remneas and Agnew.

REINFORCEMENTS POUR INTO HUNGARY FROM GERMANY TO DRIVE BACK THE RUSSIANS

Desperate Efforts being Made to Drive Russians Back From Passes.

GIANT STEAMSHIP TRUST INSOLVENT

International Mercantile Marine in Hands of Receiver.

DEFAULTED ON BONDS

Great Combination Organized by J. P. Morgan & Company and Which Control Steamship Lines, in Bad Shape.

New York, April 3.—The International Mercantile Marine Company, the giant steamship combination organized in 1902 by J. P. Morgan & Company, which placed under one control some of the principal English, American and Belgian steamship lines between the United States and Europe, today went into the hands of a receiver. The company has for six months been unable to pay interest on its $52,744,000 4 1-2 per cent collateral trust bonds.

While the company since its organization has been unable to pay dividends, it was said that with the outbreak of war, its earnings were severely diminished precipitating the present crisis. Many of its ships now are in war service.

Application for the receivership was made by the New York Trust Company, trustee for the defaulted bonds and with the approval of the bond holders, P. A. S. Franklin, vice president of the company, was appointed receiver.

Although the receivership affects the International Mercantile Marine Company as the holding company for all the subsidiary organizations which it controls, it does not affect the English subsidiaries, it is stated, such as the White Star, Leyland, Dominion and Atlantic transport lines. That is because the stocks of the latter companies were not pledged as collateral for the defaulted mortgage, it was explained. The receivership relates only to the American and Red Star (Belgian Line) lines, to which the receiver is empowered to lend money to conduct their operations.

Whether the ships of those two lines or of the entire Mercantile Marine fleet, regardless of nationality would be entitled to the protection of the United States in the war zone by virtue of the Federal receivership, was a question raised today.

ANOTHER REQUEST MADE TO CARRANZA

That He Have His Soldiers Respect Foreign Flags.

MUCH OIL IS WASTED

Indiscriminate Firing on Tanks at Tampico by Carranza Soldiers Causes Loss of 150,000 Barrels of Oil.

Washington, April 3.—The United States has renewed its representations to General Carranza to obtain respect for foreign flags recently violated at Manzanillo, asking that he instruct his officers there to afford protection to foreigners and their interests.

In the first note to Carranza a consular report was transmitted stating that the British and American flags had been violated by lawless Carranza troops. That was denied by Carranza and additional data has now been laid before him with a reference to the requests made in the first communication. No reply has been received.

A separate communication was sent to Carranza today calling his attention to the indiscriminate firing by his troops on the oil tanks near Tampico 150,000 barrels of oil already having been lost as a result of perforations made by bullets penetrating the oil tanks.

Conditions Are Bad.

Conditions in the Tampico district gave officials much concern today. The dispatches said: "That the oil operators are organizing for the purpose of buying corn in the United States for local distribution which will be disposed of at cost in order to relieve the situation.

RIFLE FIRING IS HEARD

Little Action Reported From Across the Border From Brownsville.

Brownsville, Texas, April 3.—Intermittent rifle firing was the only apparent activity today of the Villa and Carranza armies contending for possession of Matamoros. The firing, most of which came from the Carranza trenches, is said to have been without effect.

About 500 Villa troops left Camargo, about 100 miles west of Matamoros, to reinforce the besieging forces.

MORE MEN TO THE EAST

Offensive of Russions on Eastern Front Causes Uneasiness to Germany.

Men Taken From Belgium to Strengthen Line.

London, April 3.—The Germans are pouring reinforcements into Hungary to support the Austrians, hard pressed by the Russians in the passes of the Carpathians, and are also again sending men from Belgium to strengthen their Eastern front, where the Russians have taken the offensive.

The battle in the Carpathians continues. The Russians, continually reinforced, are trying desperately to force Uzsok and Lupkow passes, and upon the success of these operations their army, on the Hungarian side of Dukla is waiting before continuing its advance.

Russians Have Success.

Apparently the Russians have had considerable success, for the official reports announce the repulse of Austrian attacks south of Lupkow Pass, and west of Uzsok Pass, and continued progress in the region of the latter pass.

On April 1 the Russians claim to have taken prisoner 100 officers and 7,000 men and to have captured ten machine guns.

Austrian correspondents view the onslaught with misgiving, and in their dispatches give it precedence over the battle in Bukowina.

There is no change in Poland but the movement of German troops from Belgium eastward indicates the Germans are uneasy over the Russian activity along the East Prussian frontier and in the Central portion of the old kingdom. Having fortified the whole of Belgium and having recently opened the sluices, extending the floods in Flanders it is possible they do not anticipate that the Allies will make their effort for several weeks yet.

Beyond this there is a little news from the western theatre. The French continue their attempt to dislodge the Germans from the Forest of LePretre, in the hope that this will compel them to evacuate St. Miehl.

Not much importance is attached in London to the raid of Bulgarian irregulars into Serbia. These raids are continually taking place,the only difference being that the latest one was carried out with greater force than usual and was aimed at the railway from Uskup to Saloniki. The arrival of Serbian reinforcements compelled the Bulgarians to retire to their own frontier, not, however, before considerable losses were suffered on both sides.

German submarines continue their activity, today's score being one British steamer, the Loskwood and a French fishing smack bound for New Foundland.

With the return of calmer weather it is expected that the airmen will soon become more active and reports of proposed seaplane raids on England are being received.

PROGRESS IS MADE.

French Official Report Tells of Developments and Action on Front.

Paris, April 3.—The official communication issued today by the war office tonight follows:

"Saturday at Dompierre to the southwest of Peronne we continued to make satisfactory progress with our mining operations.

"Near Lassigny, the Germans attacked and attempted to debouch. They were stopped short by our fire as they were sallying forth from their trenches.

"In upper Alsace, in the region of Burnhaupt, LeHaut, we repulsed two German attacks."

GERMAN OFFICIAL REPORT.

Belgian Attacks Driven Back—Fighting in Forest of LePretre.

Berlin, April 3, (By Wireless)—German army headquarters today gave out this report:

"The Belgian attempt yesterday to win back Klosterhoek Farm, which the Germans occupied March 31st, resulted in failure.

"A French charge in the forest of Le Pretre was not successful.

"A French attack on the heights south of Nieder Aspach, west of Muelhausen, was repulsed.

"Nothing of importance has occurred on the Eastern front."

BULGARIANS START ACTION.

Hostilities Reported Between Irregulars and Serbian Troops.

Paris, April 3.—Hostilities between Serbian troops and Bulgarian irregulars have broken out along the border. An official statement issued at Nish, Serbia, as forwarded to the Havas agency says that the Bulgarians overwhelmed the Serbian frontier guards and occupied Serbian territory.

WILMINGTON ESCAPED DAMAGE FROM STORM

Other Parts of State Suffered Much More.

Delay to Truck Crops Constitutes Principal Damage Here—Some Snow Fell Yesterday—Unprecedented Conditions.

With a storm of almost unprecedented proportions sweeping up the Atlantic coast, and weather prevailing here for the past few days of a severity that for this season of the year has no parallel in the bureau records covering the last 45 years, Wilmington nevertheless has suffered little in comparison to the damage wreaked in the central portions of the State and along the northeastern coast.

Raleigh, Newbern, Wilson, Fayetteville and Lumberton and other towns report heavy damage from the gale and snowstorm, and especially the territory within a radius of 75 miles of Raleigh, where the storm seemed to center in North Carolina. Farther west heavy snows and sleet prevailed, and on the eastern coast, to the northward, the gale and heavy storm tides have wrought much damage.

Aside from the discomfort of low temperatures and driving rains, the Wilmington territory has suffered little damage from the raw and unseasonable weather, though truck crops have been thrown backward for another week or ten days, and but for the fact that an almost continuous period of cool weather, extending over the past six weeks, had so toughened the truck crops, they could hardly have survived the frosts and low temperatures.

Unusually high tides have prevailed at Wrightsville Beach during the past several days, and while reports yesterday were that no serious damage had been done, it is probable that many of the cottages have suffered minor damages in the way of steps washed away and foundations threatened.

Shipping off this immediate coast has not fared badly, so far as is known, though one or two vessels have been reported in distress. The barge Tampico, which has been drifting since Wednesday, was still unreported at an early hour this morning, but is believed to be far to the southward by this time. An unknown schooner was reported in distress ten miles south of Diamond Shoals late last night, but the report could not be verified locally. In the Southport harbor some half dozen vessels and barges are anchored, riding out the storm. Details of other shipping in distress, however, are expected at any time.

The wind late Friday night attained a velocity in Wilmington of 42 miles an hour, but had subsided considerably before morning, and yesterday diminished almost to normal. Last night there was little wind, and the forecasts for today are for clear weather, and higher temperatures.

Communication with the outside world was interrupted yesterday, wires being down at different times in several directions. Trains were delayed in several instances.

Scattered flakes of snow fell at intervals yesterday, said to be the first snow in April in Wilmington since 1849.

WILMINTON MAN FOR SECRETARY OF STATE

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the place, and if this is true, he will be hard to beat, according to those who have the inside "dope" on Clark's campaign programme.

Not only will Captain Clark have the support of the labor men, but it is said many of the traveling salesmen in the State are quietly laying plans to help the railway man land the job. With drummers and the thousands of railway organization men behind the Wilmington man, it is seen that things will at least be interesting. P. R. A.

SPECIAL SERVICES TONIGHT.

Rev. J. P. King Will Preach on Resurrection—Musical Programme.

The services at Sixth Street Advent Christian church tonight will have a number of features of interest to the members and their friends. Rev. J. P. King, the pastor, will preach a special sermon on the subject of "The Absolute Certainty of the Literal Resurrection of Christ." There will also be a special musical programme by a special choir of well trained voices. The accompaniments will be played by an orchestra of nine pieces. Mrs. Theodosia Grant and Miss Lida Jones will sing a duet with accompaniment by orchestra.

The sacrament of the Lord's service will be celebrated after the service which comes as the climax to a week of very successful evangelistic services. There have been about 25 accessions to the church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

A Wilmington Inquiry

Answered By the Statement of a Wilmington Resident.

When first the long series of reports of Wilmington people who have been relieved by Doan's Kidney Pills were published in the local press, great enthusiasm and interest were aroused. But Wilmington is now inquiring "How are these people keeping today? How has the benefit they received withstood the test of time?" For that, after all, is the essential test of a cure. On this point doubt can no longer exist, for after many years those who have been cured, emphatically declare their cures to be lasting.

R. A. Biddle, 606 Castle St., Wilmington, says: "I suffered from my kidneys and back for a long time and another of my family also complained of backache. We got Doan's Kidney Pills at Bellamy's Drug Store and the results of their use were astonishing. The secretions from my kidneys were cleared and the pain and backache left both of us." (Statement given April 4, 1908.)

Over seven years later Mr. Biddle said: "I have not had to use Doan's Kidney Pills since they gave a permanent benefit."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Biddle had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

SPORTS

JOHNSON AND WILLARD IN PERFECT CONDITION

Both Fit to Fight For Their Lives, They Say.

The Apparent Endurance of Both is Unlimited—Johnson Has Advantage of Quickness and Sure-Footedness—Willard.

Havana, April 3.—Forty-eight hours before their battle for the world's heavyweight championship, Jack Johnson and Jess Willard were declared to be in as nearly perfect physical condition as their systems of training could accomplish. They are fit to fight for their lives, they say, and will go into the ring Monday afternoon ready for the struggle, whether it be short and fierce or drawn out to the limit of endurance.

There is ten years difference in their ages. Willard not only is the younger but has the better of the height and reach. However, Johnson is exceedingly muscular and will weigh more than he did in any previous fight. Today he probably weighed 228 pounds, but will take off three or four pounds "drying out" tomorrow and Monday forenoon.

Willard wishes to enter the ring at 240; he is about five pounds over that now. Each will carry into the ring from five to seven pounds superfluous flesh in order to have something aside from muscular energy to burn up during the struggle.

The apparent endurance of each is unlimited. There is a wide difference of opinion among fight experts over the possible length of the fight; the style of the principals and the advantages each possesses. It is generally admitted, however, that the champion is Willard's master in the science of offensive and defensive fighting and that he is faster on his feet and with the eye. Whether he can make this science effective in the shape of blows landed in the right place remains to be seen.

Johnson has the advantage of quickness and sureness of foot. Willard is slow and appears at times uncertain of the next step. Frequently he finds himself in an awkward, unbalanced position.

Expert opinion supports the belief that it will either be a very short fight or a very long one.

Bout With McVey a Burlesque.

A great crowd gathered at the stadium to witness the six round bout between Johnson and Sam McVey which proved to be a burlesque. The champion did nothing but clinch and wrestle and smile. He did not land a dozen times in the 18 minutes. Occasionally he shot forth a lightning jab and he showed fast footwork. McVey, always clever, hit the champion repeatedly but lightly.

TERRAPINS COMPLETE THEIR TRAINING AT FAYETTEVILLE.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., April 3.—The Baltimore Federal League baseball team, with its accompanying corps of trainers, newspaper correspondents, photographers and cartoonists, left here tonight for Baltimore, after concluding their training season here. They will play a series of practice games in Baltimore before starting their season on April 10th.

PITTSBURG NATIONALS WIN OVER CLEVELAND AMERICANS

New Orleans, April 3.—The Pittsburg Nationals defeated the Cleveland Americans, 6 to 4, in an eleven inning exhibition game here today. In the eleventh inning Doc Johnson, former Cleveland first baseman hit a three bagger with two men on bases. Costello, of Pittsburg, and Smith, of Cleveland, knocked home runs.

Pittsburg	6	13	3
Cleveland	4	10	2

Adams, Harmon, Kantlehner and Gibson; Morton, Hagerman and O'Neill.

MRS. J. G. PENNINGTON DEAD.

Wilson Minister Elected College President—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., April 3.—Mrs. J. G. Pennington, widow of the late Dr. J. G. Pennington and one of the cultured and attractive women of Wilson, died Friday afternoon after a long illness. Mrs. Pennington was 53 years of age and has lived in Wilson all of these years. She was the daughter of Mrs. B. B. Rhodes and leaves two sons, Dr. Julian B. Pennington, a student at Harvard University, and Mr. Jesse Pennington, of Charlotte. Three sisters, Mesdames P. B. Deans and Rosa Applewhite, of Wilson; Mrs. Alfred Bevis, of St. Louis, and one brother, Mr. Walter Rhodes, of San Francisco, also survive. The funeral services were held at St. Timothy's Episcopal church this afternoon.

Rev. J. C. Shive, pastor of the Wilson Presbyterian church, has been elected president of Stonewall Jackson College, Abdington, Va., and has not yet signified his decision.

Mr. Ivy Harrell, a respected citizen, died at his home on East Vance street Friday afternoon, after a short illness from pneumonia. The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. Richard Bagby. The wife and one child survive.

ODD FELLOWS IN GREENVILLE

Second District Convention Largely Attended and Interesting.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greenville, N. C., April 3.—The convention of the Second District Odd Fellows met here yesterday in the hall of Covenant Lodge. It was a big meeting with many lodges represented and much interest in the proceedings. Last night Dr. D. L. James delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Mr. E. L. Stewart, of the Washington lodge. Grand Master W. F. Evans delivered an address on "Problems of the Next Grand Lodge." Among the other addresses were "The Lessons of the Iniatory Degree," by C. G. Morris, Phalanx Lodge No. 17; "My Obligations as an Odd Fellow," by R. W. Smith, Ayden Lodge No. 206, and others. This was a strictly business meting. At the close refreshments were served. All had a jolly good time, as is always Greenville's way. The next meeting goes to Washington.

ONCE MORE NO BASEBALL

Yankees and Locals Could Not Play at Sunset Park Yesterday on Account of the Weather.

Winter weather of the rawest, most uncomfortable variety yesterday for the second time within two weeks prevented a baseball game in Wilmington, and the second string men of the New York Americans, who were scheduled to cross bats with Terry's Champions at Sunset Park, will leave this evening for Suffolk, Va., without so much as having had an opportunity of tossing a ball since their arrival Friday at noon.

A scheduled game between the Baltimore Federals and the local Champions for last Saturday had to be postponed on account of the weather, and it now appears likely that Wilmington will not have an opportunity of seeing any of the big league teams play this season. No other games are scheduled, and Mr. John W. Blomme, business manager for the local team, stated yesterday that after having rain and cold weather interfere with the two games that had been scheduled, he hardly thought any attempt would be made to schedule other games so late in the season. Most of the big league teams are now on their way to their home cities.

The Yankee Yannigans will spend today in the city, where they are stopping at the Orton, and will leave this evening for Suffolk, Va., where they are scheduled to play tomorrow. From there they will go to Norfolk.

THE JEFFERSON STANDARD

A North Carolina Company With a Strong Appeal to the Public

Elsewhere today the Star is carrying a strong appeal to the people of North Carolina and the South from the Fefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, of Greensboro, N. C., Combining strength with its liberal policy features, there is no reason for sending money away from home and the appeal of the Jefferson just at this time is especially apropos. The annual statement recently isued at the close of business December 31st, 1914, shows phenomenal gains for the year over 1913 with a total insurance in force on a paid-for basis of $43,458,384, a gain of $2,338,207 for the year while in assets the gains were nearly a million dollars, in reserves well over half a million and in surplus to protect policy-holders nearly a hundred thousand. The gross surplus, including capital, to protect policy-holders is $912,874.18.

The Jefferson Standard is represented in Wilmington by Mr. F. G. Spearman, general agent, while Messrs. Currie & McAllister, of Lumberton, are also general agents, and Messrs. Blackmore & Carter, of Warsaw, are district agents.

JOHNNY J. JONES SHOWS

Exhibits Here for Benefit Hanover Concert Band—Winoca.

Johnny J. Jones Shows will appear here the week of April 12, under the auspices of the Hanover Concert band, a popular local organization which deserves the support and encouragement of the public. The show grounds will be at Thirteenth and Princess streets, Winoca Terrace, and exhibitions will be given daily throughout the week. Emphasis is placed on the fact that the Jones shows are clean in every detail and they come to Wilmington with fine press endorsements. The attractions include Vitucci's Royal Italian Band, Captain Curley Wilson and his wild animal show; Hustins, the boy lion trainer and his animals; Jolly Alma, weighing nearly 700 pounds, the Princess Zaida, 35 inches tall; Edna, the Mystery Girl; "Ten Shows in One," Dixieland minstrels, Dakota Max's wild west show and others.

GYMNASIUM EXHIBITION

Big Entertainment at Y. M .C. A. Tomorrow Night—All Invited.

The big spring entertainment of the Y. M. C. A. gymnastic classes will be given tomorrow night beginning promptly at 8:30 o'clock. The exhibitions will be worth seeing and will be given in the gymnasium. While there will be no special stunts the different classes will go through the regular daily work and each class will have a special event. The general public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no charge for admission.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Jas. F. Woolvin and wife to Jacob S. Funchess, for $10 and other considerations, tracts 11 and 12 in the Woolvin Subdivision, on the Castle Haynes road; Wiley Johnson to Serena Spicer and others, for $10 and other considerations, tract in Federal Point township, on Cape Fear river; T. A. Watson, Jr., and wife to Ira A. Hines and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east line of Fourth, 132 feet south of Marsteller streets, 33x150 feet in size.

Charleston, S. C., April 3.—The Charleston South Atlantic League team defeated the Cleveland American Association team here today, 4 to 2.

Birmingham, Ala., April 3.—The College Nationals defeated the Birmingham Southern Association team here today, 4 to 2.

Soft, Fluffy Hair Always Aids Beauty and Charm

Girls and women of all ages want to be charming, beautiful and attractive—it's their birthright—but stringy, thin and lifeless hair destroys half the beauty of a pretty face.

If your hair is not beautiful, lacking that enviable softness, lustre and fluffiness, or is falling out, full of dandruff, too dry, or the scalp itches and burns, by all means use Parisian Sage, an inexepensive and delicately-perfumed liquid easily obtained at any drug counter or from R. R. Bellamy. Simply rub Parisian Sage well into the scalp. It will go right to the hair roots, nourish them, and stimulate the hair to grow strong and luxuriant. It removes every trace of dandruff with one application, thoroughly cleanses the hair of dust and excess oil, leaving it soft, fluffy and lustrous.

Parsian Sage is always safe, always reliable and can be used constantly without the slightest fear of injury to either the hair or scalp and surely gives the hair just what is needed to make it rich looking and bewitchingly beautiful.

THEATRICAL

Edward Peple, the author of "A Pair of Sixes," which comes to the Academy of Music April 15th, is a modest chap who has amassed a fortune from his books and plays. He lives at Arrochar, on Staten Island, N. Y.

He was born in Richmond, Va., and his father was a lawyer. The family hailed from Belgium. Peple's first play was "The Prince Chap," in which Cyril Scott starred. Bookkeeping in a Richmond, Va., bank was the first job that Peple had tackled, and when he finally decided to come to New York it was on the strength of an offer of a similar position with the American Bridge Company. Peple, early in his bank clerk days, had made up his mind he was going to be a writer. Soon after he arrived in New York he started "The Prince Chap." He started by writing it as a novel. Before it was completed he began to think it would make a play. He dropped the novel temporarily and began to write the play. When it was finished he took the work to a producer and asked that it be read. The theatrical man liked the play but in those days producers were wary of unknown authors. The manager told Peple he would produce the play in "good time." Peple then went back to his unfinished novel, put the finishing touches to it and took it to a publisher. It was accepted and printed quickly. With the publisher's contract in his pocket, Peple again called on the theatrical man. The publisher's contract that Peple displayed changed his status at once in the eyes of the play producer. From an unknown author Peple had become in a short time a writer who was apt to become well known. Preparations were made to put on the play. The book was published and the play produced at the same time. Each helped the other. Both the book and the play were successful.

Peple has written a number of vaudeville sketches, a half a dozen novels, the best known of which is "Semiramis," and many short stories. His cat story, "A Night Off" is something of a classic. He wrote "The Little Rebel", in which the Farnum brothers starred for several seasons, but he thinks his best stage offering, so far, is "A Pair of Sixes."

Bijou's Big Triumph.

Again has the home of the "Incomparable Movies" scored a distinct triumph. Tomorrow they will present the first of the "Famous Stars" series of Universal multiple reel features, presenting Jeff De Angelis, the most famous and highest paid musical comedian on the stage in a great comedy, "The Funny Side of Jealousy." It is his first appearance on the screen, and he is a scream. He is so funny the other actors in the company can't keep their faces straight. His costume is funny and his make-up is ridiculous. The situations are absurd from the time he buys an anarchist bomb to blow up his wife's supposed "affinity" till he jumps into a real river to put himself out after setting fire to himself with the same bomb. You don't want to miss this. "It took Bijou enterprise to do it," and their patrons get the benefit without any extra cost.

Other big features tomorrow is a great two-reel Mutual drama, "The Gun Fighter," an intensely dramatic story of a woman's choice, featuring Leona Hutton and Walter Edwards (you remember him in the "Cross of Fire?") "Down on the Farm," a great Nestor scream, and "Evans' Lucky Day" a great Mutual comedy.

Tuesday comes that great three-reel feature with Cleo Madison and Joe King, "The Mother Instinct"; Wednesday, "The Rider of Silhouette"; Thursday, a great three-reeler, "Mary's Duke", featuring popular Mary Fuller; Friday, "To Redeem an Oath," a thrilling Western drama, and Saturday, Cleo Madison and Joe King again in "The Human Menace," a thrilling and stirring two-reeler. These are just a few.

At the Grand This Week.

This is holiday week and the Grand Theatre is going to celebrate accordingly. This means that for Wilmington amusement-lovers a big and gala time is in store for them at their favorite spot and such shows as they are going to be, too. Every day a great holiday offering will be made and amusement-lovers just can't afford to go shy on a single show. Stars and star films fill each day's bill, while Tuesday's show will be featured by the fifth episode of "Runaway June" and Wednesday bear this in mind the prize-winner and final episode of "The Million Dollar Mystery," while on Thursday it will be the "show Extraordinary," as upon that occasion will be offered, among other big features, New York's latest sensation and the talk of Gotham, "The Devil's Dansant," which is in two huge reels and with Alice Hollister in the stellar role.

Friday there will be the usual great "Zudora" feature, with an extra film in which America's sweetheart, Mary Pickford, will star. Of course, there will be other big ones. Then Saturday there will roll around something choice and swell. These are just some of the big, headliners of the present week at the Grand. If you want to behold the complete list just take a glance at the advertisement announcement made elsewhere in today's Star. It will bewilder and surprise you. It's the biggest thing yet for a Wilmington movie.

Ordinance of Baptism.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered to 16 candidates for the membership in the church at the evening service of Sixth Street Advent Christian church today. The public is cordially invited to attend the service.

—A false fire alarm was sent in last night from Box 124.

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Political Advertising is Strictly Cash in Advance. Orders for Announcements in this column Must be Accompanied by Check, or Cash, to Cover.

COUNCILMAN—FIRST WARD.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Councilman from the First Ward, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the primary to be held April 20th, promising, if elected, to serve faithfully and to the best of my ability.

WALTER C. BOESCH.

mh31-20t

COUNCILMAN—SECOND WARD.

I hereby announce my candidacy for Councilman from the Second Ward, subject to the will of the Democratic voters in the primary to be held, April 20th, promising, if elected, to serve faithfully and to the best of my ability.

JOHN H. NIGGEL, JR.

mh31-20t

Baxter's Team Win Second Y.M.C.A. Commercial Basketball League Series

The Baxter's team, captained by Louis Hanson, Jr., made a remarkable record for the season, having won 11 games and lost only three. Much credit must be given the victors for their fast, clean and plucky playing through the season. Many of their games were won by a one, two and three point margin and were won because the team never laid down and counted themselves beaten until the last whistle was blown. They proved themselves a hard working bunch of basketball players.

Louis Hanson, Jr., the veteran basketball player and captain, of many seasons, after dropping the championship of last year to Westbrook, came back strong this year and showed the sport fans that he could put out a winning team, and this he demonstrated to the public this year by winning the Y. M. C. A. Commercial League series. His team made a remarkable start, having won the first nine games before any of the other teams could break up his team play and then it was that the Baxter's team ran up against the cellarites in the standing and were defeated by them by a 11 to 8 score, the lowest score in the whole league series. Then the Baxterites picked up again and won the next two and the unlucky 13th was lost to the Jacobi team, but the last game of the season went to the league leaders, Baxter's then standing two games ahead of the runner-up team, Jacobi.

Louie is the man who put in night after night on coaching his team and succeeded in working his team into such a strong machine that the other teams were not able to break up his team work sufficiently to win games away from him, and his steady work at guard in each of the games did much to land his team on top. Captain Louie is one of the prominent young business men of the city and a favorite among the young folks, especially of the feminine gender. He, his car and that pink carnation are almost inseperable and are seldom seen apart.

Much credit is due to Louie Stein, the captain's team-mate at guard. He always drew the hardest man to guard and by his close guarding always held his man to few scores and figured largely in the breaking up of the opponent's team and pass work. Louie is some shot and when his teammate forwards were covered used to drop the ball in the basket as well as any of them. He is a fast, close player and never lets up until the game is over.

The forward positions were held down by three boys, Walker, McIntyre and Hussey. The last named figured in every game and was there at all times. Hussey, in the opinion of the writer, is the most up-to-date basketball player ever seen in Wilmington. He has adopted the latest European war methods and time and time again Hussey would be seen doing an aeroplane flight toward the basket and when he neared the goal dropped the boom into the basket. Charlie played basketball in the air and only needed the floor to start off and to land on. He was always sure of two of the five field goals each game and his shooting did much to help his team along.

Wm. Walker, Jr., a hard and fast man at forward, is the fellow who could be counted on in digging up the ball and sure of his passes. He could shoot the ball, too, and did it many a time and usually they were very acceptable points. Walker played what is known as a running forward and was at one end of the floor digging up the ball and passing it back and forth working it toward his goal and Jimmie.

McIntyre, the youngest man on the team, showed up far better than was expected and when put into the game did some very effective work. He threw more field goals than any other man on his team excepting the big center man, and in several of the games was the man to turn the game from a losing score to a winning one. The second game that Baxter's played against Jacobi was won by this little player, near the end of the playing time the Hardware men had Baxters by three points and then it was that McIntyre broke loose and shot three field goals in quick succession.

Last, but not least in the Baxters line-up comes big Jimmie Farrar, the man who held down the center position. Jimmie is no doubt the fastest and best basketball player in the league and was the man who did most of the heavy work for the Baxter's team. He scored more goals than any of the other players and dropped the ball into the basket from the foul line enough times to score more points than any of the other players and the two put together totaled up more points than all the rest of the points scored by his teammates. He is a sure shot and was fed by all the players on his team, well liked and always carries a smile around with him as well as that little skull cap.

TO THE VOTERS OF THIRD WARD.

I hereby announce my candidacy for councilman from the Third Ward, and will appreciate the support of voters in the primary election to be held April 20th.

If nominated and elected I shall endeavor to discharge the duties imposed in a fair and impartial manner.

J. A. McNORTON.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

For Councilman—Fifth Ward.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman from the Fifth Ward, subject to the Municipal Primary to be held in the City of Wilmington, April 20th. If elected, I will endeavor to discharge the duties of councilman in an economical and progressive manner and to the best of my ability.

W. J. BRADSHAW.

apr 4-15t

COUNCILMAN—SIXTH WARD.

The undersigned citizens of the Sixth Ward present for nomination as a candidate for Councilman from our Ward the name of Mr. W. A. Woods.

We believe, if elected, he will serve the city in a capable and honorable manner. We know him to be of good business ability and one who has the interest and welfare of the city government at heart, and therefore earnestly recommend him to the voters of our Ward, in the forthcoming primary election.

W. L. HOLT,
H. L. WILLIAMSON,
M. V. COBB,
L. V. HESTER,
J. H. WOMBLE,
J. S. MANN,
E. C. HOLT,
L. W. MOORE.

apr 4-16t

FOR COUNCIL OF FIFTH WARD.

At the solicitation and urgent request of many friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for councilman of Fifth Ward in the approaching Democratic Primary. If elected, I shall do all in my power to advance the city's best interest. I am for those principles which insure good government and attend to its upbuild and progress. I would appreciate the hearty support of my friends and fellow citizens.

WALTER R. KINGSBURY.

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EASTER WEEK

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Biggest Shows Ever Presented

MONDAY.

"Whatsoever a Woman Soweth."
Two Reel Essanay with Richard C. Travers.

"Burglarious Billy"
Vitagraph Comedy Drama. Constance Talmadge and Billy Quirk

The Experiment
Edison Comedy with Bessie Learn and Saul Harrison.

"The Human Investment"
Lubin Dramatic with Ormi Hawley and Earl Metcalfe.

TUESDAY.

5th Episode.
"Runaway June"
Two Reels

"A Daughter's Strange Inheritance."
Vitagraph Three Reel Feature with Norma Talmadge, Vandyke Brook and Donald Hall.

WEDNESDAY.

FINAL EPISODE OF
"The Millon Dollar Mystery"
By Harold MacGrath.
This Episode shows the winner of the $10,000.00 prize and a complete solution of this wonderful story of mystery.

Alice Joyce
In a Two Reel Feature.
"Unfaithful to the Trust"
Assisted by James R. Ross and Guy Coombs.

Hearst-Selig Weekly—The World Before Your Eyes.

THURSDAY.

Alice Hollister
Kalem Two Reel Drama
"The Devil's Dansant"
Balzac's Great Drama of Paternal Love.

"Pere Goriot"
In Two Reels with Edward Cecil and Kate Toncray.

"The Girl at Noland's"
Vitagraph Dramatic Featuring Anna Schaefer and Margaret Gibson.

FRIDAY.

Episode 18 of ZUDORA in the
"Twenty Million Dollar Mystery"

Mary Pickford
In a One Reel Comedy
Friends

Ruth Roland
Kalem Two Reel Feature
Sixth of the Girl Detective Series.

SATURDAY.

Lubin Three Reel Masterpiece.
"The Hermit of Girl Island"
Featuring Earl Metcalfe, Kempton Greene, Mary Keane and Hazel Hubbard.

Selig Company offers
"The Kidnapped Lover"
A Rousing Comedy.

Don't Miss a Single Day of This Holiday Week

EVENTS OF A WEEK IN AND ABOUT LUMBERTON

Much Snow There Yesterday and Still Falling.

Court Puts In a Good Week—Three in Court House at Once—Wilmington Man Weds—Yadkin People Speak.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., April 3.—The two weeks term of Superior court which convened here Monday, with Judge O. H. Allen presiding, has been putting in full time all the week and prospects are good for all next week to be taken up before adjournment. A good deal of business has been transacted, many cases having been disposed of, most of which did not reach the jury.

So far as The Star correspondent knows, a new court record has been made here this week, three different courts having been in operation in the court house at one and the same time. While Judge Allen was holding Superior court upstairs, Justice D. B. McNeill was holding his court downstairs in the commissioners' room, Recorder E. M. Britt, who generally holds his court in the commissioners' room, came in and told Justice McNeill that he would have to move to another room, as he was going to convene court. Justice McNeill declined to vacate and Recorder Britt proceeded to open his court. A large crowd was in attendance and witnessed the novelty of two courts being held at the same time in the same room, the justice and recorder, attorneys and other court officers all using the same table. It is said that when one of the attorneys in the justice court began talking too loud the recorder called him down. But both courts remained in session till their business was transacted.

Can't Run Lumberton.

The Star man remembers when a saloon keeper was mayor of Lumberton, and the town never had a better mayor. He was public spirited and did as much in improving the town in his time as any one could have done at that time. The Star man also remembers when the chief of police of Lumberton was a saloon keeper—while he looked after the duties of his office, his clerk dispensed "fire water". That was when there were 13 or 15 saloons in town. During those days the writer never saw worse order on the streets than was pulled off here Wednesday evening of this week. It is the general opinion that some person or persons gave away liquor for the purpose of making drunks to cause trouble for certain purposes. If such was the case, the effort was a miserable failure, as their intentions did not materialize. For two weeks the express office had a Christmas appearance, the number of jugs and packages of liquor received being immense. Wednesday being the last day on which more than one quart every 15 days could be obtained, there were numerous drunks, but some of the boys were "too full for utterance", and escaped trouble. Others are now in trouble and Recorder Britt and Chief Redfern have more friends than ever before. The very few who seem to have the idea that they can tank up and run Lumberton to suit themselves should know by now that the citizens who believe in law and order are in a big majority and will back up the officer who does his duty.

Plenty of Snow Yesterday.

The Star correspondent has been reminded that on March 22, 1885, there was a big fall of snow in this section. On March 22, 1914, the writer saw the ground well covered with snow between here and Charlotte and on March 22 this year there was a slight fall of snow in this section. March went out with plenty of snow on the ground in this section and April came in with snow and ice and the ground frozen in places. During the day it turned somewhat warmer, the snow melted and everything dried off. Yesterday rain began falling about 1 o'clock and continued until 9 o'clock last night, when snow and sleet followed the rain. During the night the wind reached almost gale proportions. The snow continued to fall throughout the night and at 9 o'clock this morning was still falling. Trees and telephone poles were coated on the north side from the ground to the top. Measurements taken at different places in town at 7 o'clock this morning showed the snow two inches thick on the poles four feet above the ground. While everything is covered with snow, it is melting fast enough to make travel anything but pleasant.

Telegraph and telephone wires in this section fared badly last night as a result of the snow storm. Ten Western Union poles went down between here and the National cotton mill, one and one-half miles distant. Two of the poles fell on the Seaboard track and were struck by an eastbound freight train about 4 o'clock this morning, but no damage was done. Phone service on the V. & C. S. is out of commission.

Wilmington Man Weds.

A quiet but beautiful marriage was solemnized here this evening at the Presbyterian parsonage, Mr. J. J. Moore, of Wilmington, and Miss Alice Barker, of Lumberton being the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. J. Frank Gorrell, of the Presbyterian church. Only a few friends were present. At the conclusion of the ceremony the newly married couple were driven to the home of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous repast was served. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barker and has a large circle of friends who will be much interested in the announcement of the marriage. The groom holds a position with the Atlantic Coast Line in Wilmington, which position he has faithfully filled for several years, and is very popular. Mr. and Mrs. Moore left on the 10:05 train for Wilmington and will leave there on the early train tomorrow morning for Florida, Cuba and other places of interest.

Messrs. Johnson and Radcliffe, of Raleigh, officers of the Yadkin Power Company, spent Thursday in Lumberton and addressed a meeting of citizens in the court house at night, discussing the proposition of furnishing current for the town. Another meeting is to be held next Tuesday night. It will take a "protracted meeting" of several nights to make all the people of Lumberton believe in selling out.

Union Station at Last.

At last, just one year to the day after it was ordered by the Corporation Commission, Lumberton now has a union passenger station from which all passenger trains on all three of the roads leave, the V. & C. S. having moved its ticket office up to the Seaboard station Thursday morning.

Many Lumberton ladies have visited Fayetteville during this week on shipping trips, some going by rail and others by automobile.

At the close of business Wednesday night there was in the express office five packages of liquor which, according to law, could not be delivered on or after April 1st and were returned to the shippers by the first train Thursday morning. No more than one quart will be delivered to any one person here within any 15-day period—no use to order more—so the express people say.

$20,000 Bond Issue Sold.

At a meeting of the town commissioners held Tuesday, 30-year floating debt bonds for $20,000 were sold to the First National Bank of Lumberton, to bear 5 1-2 per cent interest, payable on the 1st of April and October each year. There were six other bids, the next best bid being 6 per cent, which would have cost the town, if accepted, $2,324 more than the bid submitted by the First National.

Child Dies of Burns.

As the result of injuries received by being burned several days ago, Robert W. Wooten, five-year-old adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wooten, died Wednesday morning. The little fellow's clothing caught fire where grass was being burned in the field. The remains were carried to Clarkton for interment, the funeral service being conducted by Rev. J. F. Gorrell, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

On account of illness of Rev. W. P. Yarborough, who was to assist in a revival meeting at the Gospel Tabernacle beginning tomorrow, the meeting has been postponed until a later date.

Rev. C. L. Greaves, pastor of the First Baptist church, has announced a protracted meeting to begin in that church on the first Sunday in June. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. Dr. L. T. Wilson, of Richmond, Va. Dr. Wilson assisted in a meeting here a year or two ago. W. S. W.

AN EASTER APPEAL

By Mrs. Lindsay Patterson.

Chairman North Carolina Woman's Section Committee for Relief in Belgium.

A heart sick world is of many minds as to the identity of the blood guilty nation that shall reap the whirlwind of utter destruction, because, sowing the wind of hate, she has turned the sunny fields and pleasant towns of Europe into a death chamber of unspeakable horror.

Surely evil will it be in that day for this Cain among nations for whom his brother's blood shall call for vengeance.

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From it all America turns, shuddering, knowing at least this, that Belgium—heroic Belgium—deserved to live. And if she lives America must know this also, that from her alone can come the gift of life. It must come quickly or it need not come at all, for the dead need nothing. Belgium is starving, literally starving. It isn't that she is only hungry—she is starving. So long ago as last August her cattle and food stuffs were taken by the invading armies—her factories and churches and homes were battered into shapeless heaps of ruins—her men—those who have not filled nameless graves—are at the front. Of her nine provinces seven are held by the enemy. Of her seven million population still left, approximately two million are old men and helpless boys. The others are women and children. There are no longer rich or poor. Nearly two million are in the bread line—that pitiful line daily growing longer—daily growing increasingly difficult to provide even with the tiny bun like loaf of bread and bowl of cabbage soup for each person.

Of the starving babies—eight thousand they say—one would be glad not to think.

Months ago the milk cows were killed by the soldiers—the mothers have no milk for they themselves are starving. The babies are dying, and must continue to die, unless America comes to the rescue. From what other country can help come? Germany? France? England? They are but a ring of flame and sword, through which no one may pass and live. Italy? Spain? Greece? China? Japan? The names themselves are a hopeless negation. Yet God still sends His angels to open prison doors. North of Belgium is the sea, now a very devil's cauldron of merciless destruction and sudden death for all ships save only those belonging to the American come mission for Relief in Belgium. For them and to them alone have the warring nations pledged safety—a pledge they have faithfully kept. And Americans are in charge of the food from the time it leaves New York until it is distributed in Belgium. Two of our North Carolina Rhoads scholarship boys, by the way, are doing fine relief work over there, helping the commission. No one need fear that his gift will be lost. It will not—either in this world or the next. The American ambassadors in London, Berlin, Paris and Brussels are at the head of this commission and in the various stations, doing everything in their power to help.

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And every penny given by North Carolina will be spent there and the food shipped to New York. In addition, if market conditions allow, the New York commission will purchase here an amount equivalent to that raised by us, so that in helping others, we also help ourselves.

Even though, as state chairman, I am seeing all the people I can, and writing to as many as possible, it is hopelessly slow work. Will you not form your committee, go to work and write me? He gives twice who gives quickly, and one dollar, they say, means a day's life for thirty people. $3.45 will feed a starving child for a month.

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And there is a very good motto for us, even if it is taken from an old tombstone.

"What I spent, I had,
What I kept, I lost,
What I gave, I have."

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All of us have stood by open graves. This Easter week we stand in humble faith by the open grave of Him who is the Resurrection and the Life. In His name and for His sake shall we not send across the seas our Easter offering, and so commemorate as He would have us, that Easter morn so long ago.

Winston-Salem, N. C.

LUMBER MILL RESUMES

Plant at Kinston Starts Up Again Monday Morning.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., April 3.—Rutledge & Co.'s lumber mill here, which has been suspended since early in September, will resume operations Monday with about 50 men at the plant and 30 in the timber woods. C. M. Rutledge, the manager, said today that the mill would run on full time for several months to saw about a million feet of logs cut during the winter and to take care of local orders. He sees no immediate improvement in conditions, and there has been little improvement since the unsettled state brought about by the war first got in a hard knock at the lumber industry.

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any and every corn or callus without fail, without fussing with thick bandages, toe harnesses, corn-swelling salves, irritating ointments. It's applied in 2 seconds—bing, bing—2 drops, the work is done, the corn shrivels up, your corn agony ends and the corn leaves forever! All the limping, the pains that dart to your heart's core, the crucifixion of having to wear shoes over screaming corns, the danger of blood poison from making them bleed by using knives, razors and scissors—are gone at last! "GETS-IT" is the new way, the sure, simple, painless way. Try it for corns, calluses, warts and bunions. "GETS-IT" is sold by druggists everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

FORECLOSURE SALE OF ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.

Under and by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in that certain Mortgage Deed, executed by Southport Light and Power Company, on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1914, the said mortgage being recorded in Book No. 22, folio 403, Records of Brunswick County, default having been made in the payment of the note and debt thereby secured, the undersigned Trustee will, on Thursday, the fifteenth (15th) day of April, A. D. 1915, expose to public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door, in Brunswick county, at the hour of twelve (12) o'clock, noon, the following described real estate and personal property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on Bonnett's Creek, sometimes called Fiddler's Drain, at a stake on the South side of the run, Berg and Taylor's corner of a tract of land purchased by them from Stratman and others, runs thence South 45 West 169 feet to a stake; thence North 36 West, intended to be parallel with Rhett Street 243 feet to the run of Bonnett's Creek, thence down the run of said Creek, as it meanders, to the beginning, the same being land conveyed by J. Berg and wife, and C. Ed. Taylor and wife, to the said Light and Power Company, May 14, 1912, by deed duly recorded in Book 21, page 505; and also all rights, franchises and contracts owned by the party of the first part, and all electric wires, poles, fixtures, and electric apparatus owned by the party of the first part, and all machinery and equipment at the power plant, together with all meters, insulators and all property whatever, owned by the party of the second part, or which may be added to the said power plant by way of extension of its lines, or by way of additional equipment or increased capacity, which may from time to time be added, and also all other property owned by the party of the first part, and located in the City of Southport.

The successful bidder will be required to deposit with Trustee on day of sale, 10 per cent. of his bid, as an evidence of good faith, pending formal transfer.

THOS. E. COOPER,
Trustee.

Dated and Posted this, the 9th March, A. D. 1915.

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One Return Tubular Boiler, 85 H. P.
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All necessary accessories.
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The man who gets in a kick is liable to get back a kick.

The cost of doing right is trifling compared with the cost of doing wrong.

"Consistency, thou art a jewel," but it is so rare that no man is able to dangle it on his watch fob.

Huerta is on his way back. He must have an idea that he left something and wants to go back to Mexico to get it.

The weather man seems to have gotten things somewhat balled up the last two or three days. Just a little frustrated. That's all. Forecasts will get straightened out directly.

It is said that Japan's real motive in seeking to put a fence around China is to keep Russia off the grass. There would be less enmity among nations if they would avoid policies which others cannot tolerate.

If the weather in Hampton Roads was like that in Wilmington Friday night, the Eitel passed up the best opportunity it will have to run the blockade. The storm and darkness was calculated to take the spirit out of the chase.

People might be blissfully harmonious if it were not for those people who can be depended on to make harm out of harm-o-n-i-o-u-s by making junk out of the last six letters of the word. The man who is disposed to kick a box or knock obnoxiously is always liable to keep it from being like a graveyard wherever he is.

When money is afloat we are all in the swim. When money ceases to circulate it does not come within reach of anybody, either you or others. We can set money afloat and get it into circulation by paying up what we owe. Pay day is on hand, and if everybody will pay up, it will put money afloat. Don't you know it would help you and everybody else?

Time is flying and we are flitting with it. Wilmington was asleep at midnight last night when Father Time ran the hand around on the dial till it marked the 94th day of 1914. Day after day he is scoring time against us. Why should Wilmington worry? Well, she knows that soon the half of the year will be gone and she is wondering what we are going to do for her.

"When the wicked rule, the people mourn," says the Book of Books. The people of some of the best nations on earth are now mourning because of the folly, the error and the weakness of those in authority. Those who rule shape policies that involve their countries in war. Many a policy is but the folly of men who consider themselves able and wise. They swell up, vaunt themselves overmuch, put their foot in it and get their countrymen into trouble. "Who is this that darkeneth counsel with words without knowledge?" Why, it is men who think they know it all, yet know nothing and but very little of that. The government of a people shapes their well-being and their destiny. Wherefore, we should be sure that a man is trustworthy and wise when we place him in authority to handle our affairs.

Ahoy! What ship is that? Why, it's the German cruiser Prinz Eitel Frederick. Why is she taking up so much of the limelight? Why, it is not the ship that is making us sit up and take notice. It's her captain. He can reach out most any day in a spectacular sort of way and take in both hands full of notoriety for his ship. The man who runs things makes them go a slow gait or at a good clip. There are captains who would fill up on sauer kraut and go into seclusion with a stein of beer, but there are other captains who just come out on deck and decorate to suit the occasion. The bellows does all the blowing, but it's the hammer that makes the anvil ring. It is the man on the job who makes the job important.

THE CASE OF JAMES WILCOX

Few criminal cases in North Carolina in the last quarter century have aroused more interest than that of James Wilcox, the young white man of Elizabeth City, who has been in the State's Prison since 1903 serving a 30-year term to which he was sentenced in 1902 upon conviction of the murder of Miss Nellie Cropsey, whom he is alleged to have drowned in the Pasquotank river, just across the road in front of her home, on the night of November 20, 1901. Few cases have attracted wider attention than was aroused by this one during the period from the time the girl mysteriously disappeared from her home to the time when Wilcox began his term, nor have there been many prisoners whose petitions for pardon have been signed by so many people or in whose behalf so many persons, so widely scattered, have put themselves on record, in letters and otherwise, asking for executive clemency.

Governor Craig has had a hard proposition put up to him, and word has come from Raleigh that he has been giving the "most careful consideration" to the application for pardon. While from all over the State and from a number of other states have come requests for the pardon, and those working in his behalf have made a remarkable and unusual showing both in the personnel of the petitioners and in the vast number of signers, as a matter of course there have been filed protests against the pardon.

While Wilcox was fighting the battle for his life and to escape a long term in the penitentiary, there was a remarkable division of sentiment throughout most of the State as to his guilt, and many there are who never yet have been able to convince themselves that the evidence in the case was at all conclusive. He has always stoutly maintained his innocence. He had a clean record. The conviction was solely upon circumstantial evidence. The girl was last seen alive in the company of Wilcox, who was her suitor and who had called at her home to see her. The girl's body was found in the Pasquotank river, and perhaps the greatest disadvantage the defendant had in his trial was the absence of any acceptable hypothesis in explanation of the young woman's death other than that she was murdered by the man who was last seen with her, notwithstanding the fact that it would have been the easiest matter imaginable for her, in a fit of despondency following a real or imaginary indifference on the part of her suitor, to have stepped from the front porch of her home, just across the roadway, and flung herself into the deep, black waters of the Pasquotank.

More than ten years ago a novelist used the scenes and circumstances of the Cropsey case as material for a story which appeared in a Northern publication as a serial. Out of the tangled plot, the novelist brought about a happy ending and solved the mystery by having the supposedly dead girl appear years later as an inmate of the hospital for the insane at Morganton, N. C., having lost her mind, wandered away from home and found her way into the vicinity of the western town unable to tell her name or whence she came. Upon restoration to sanity, she recalled her past life, her mind reverted to her former lover, and upon inquiry she learned that he was serving a long sentence for causing her death. It is not necessary to follow the story further. Of course, this was fiction, the product of some writer's imagination, but it illustrates the doubt that existed then as to Wilcox's guilt, a doubt that was largely predicated upon the absence of sufficient evidence of motive on his part. The novelist, of course, made the body found that of another woman.

Aside from all that, physicians now certify that the prisoner has contracted tuberculosis and that he cannot live much longer if his imprisonment is continued. The evidence is that he has contracted the dread malady since he began serving his term eleven years ago, following two years of imprisonment in the county jail. If his imprisonment was the cause of his contracting the disease, certainly it seems that the affliction, which now may prove fatal in any event, should be accepted by the State in lieu of a large portion of his term. Doubtless, if Wilcox could have taken his choice, he would have served his 30 years in health rather than have served one-third of it and accepted tuberculosis in lieu of the other two-thirds. Moreover, if he was guilty of drowning Nellie Cropsey, as charged, justice demanded nothing short of his life, and the compromise which resulted in a 30-year sentence instead of death indicates the doubt that existed as to his guilt.

Many pardons have been granted on far weaker grounds than appear in the Wilcox case.

THE OPPORTUNITY IN COTTON.

The Manufacturers' Record of April 1st contains a striking editorial concerning cotton and the opportunity which we have of making better use of a raw supply which we produce in great quantity but utilize in comparatively small quantity. Of the South's cotton, American mills consume but a third, while the balance of the manufacturing world draws on us for two-thirds, twice as much as we consume in all the factories of America.

The Record wants to know what the cotton manufacturers of this country are doing or going to do to turn to good account the situation created for cotton by the European war. Our esteemed contemporary takes five leading articles of American exports shipped abroad during the last eight months and draws an impressive conclusion from the showing. For instance, the value of six groups of merchandise exports during the eight months in 1914-1915 has been $801,296,755, compared with $816,387,136 during the corresponding eight months period of 1913-14. Their value thus far shows a decrease of $15,090,381 from the value of exports during the first eight months of the preceding fiscal year. On account of the war in Europe our total exports have seriously fallen off, though exports of certain commodities have increased while those of others have decreased.

The groups of merchandise exports enumerated are breadstuffs, raw cotton, meat and dairy products; cattle, hogs and sheep; cotton seed oil, and mineral oils. Three groups have shown marked increases, while two show large decreases. There have been increased exports in breadstuffs, meat and dairy products and cotton seed oil. There have been decreased exports of cotton, cattle, hogs and sheep, and mineral oils. Says The Record:

"These groups constitute usually about 46 per cent of the aggregate of merchandise exports from the United States. Their value thus far shows a decrease of $15,090,381 from that in the first eight months of the preceding fiscal year. Three groups have marked increases; three have decreases. The war accounts for both phenomena. Materials for food have, in the main, increased both in quantity exported and in value. The value of breadstuffs increased from $115,215,881 to $357,091,823, or by $241,875,942, equal to 209.9 per cent; of cottonseed oil, from $9,111,690 to $12,115,924, or by $3,004,234, equal to 32.9 per cent, and of meat and dairy products from $93,635,937 to $104,048,407, or by $10,412,470, equal to 11.1 per cent. Wheat exports increased from 71,618,028 bushels to 192,092,312 bushels, or by 120,474,284 bushels, equal to 168.2 per cent, while the value increased from $67,654,608 to $229,205,142, or by $161,550,534, equal to 238.8 per cent. The combined increases in wheat, flour and corn, $192,780,622, was 79 per cent of the increase in breadstuffs, and the value of exports of oats increased from $357,517 to $26,332,992. But the increase of $255,292,646 in these three groups was more than balanced by the decrease of $270,383,027 in the other three groups. Of that the decrease in cotton, from $498,910,358 to $243,947,192, or by $254,963,166, equal to 51.1 per cent, constituted more than 94 per cent. The explanation is plain. The very nations which have looked to this country in the past few months for a greater quantity than usual of foodstuffs are those which have been for many years the largest buyers of our raw cotton. Their textile industries have been crippled by the occupation of their people in war, and some of them that would gladly have taken cotton have either been entirely cut off from the supply or have not been able to meet, to the desired extent, their diminished requirements."

Anticipating that when the war closes, exports of foodstuffs will decline while exports of cotton will increase in volume, The Record pertinently asks: "But why should this country continue to ship from its borders nearly two-thirds of its cotton crop in the raw state instead of as finished goods, by far the most profitable?" In other words, why is it that America does not manufacture more of its cotton than it ships to Europe to be manufactured? That is the vital question, and The Record proceeds thus to discuss it:

"Are there obstacles in the way of competing with other textile manufacturing nations in the world markets? What are they? Are they insurmountable? Is it really necessary for the United States to import one yard of cotton goods from another country? Is it not even possible for American goods to gain an ever-widening market in European and Asiatic lands that manufacture cotton? How many managements or associations of managements of American cotton mills have given serious study to such questions at the time during the past six or eight months when the economic possibilities in a closing of the markets for even only a third of the cotton crop have been borne in upon the minds of lay observers? And here, too, is the market right at home. Its population is increasing at the rate of 1,500,000 a year. Is the sale of American cotton goods being pushed in this market as it should be? The present situation seems to sound an unprecedented summons to the American textile mills to inquire diligently into their methods of marketing right here at home, and, where necessary, to change those methods to meet the inviting and pressing opportunity, not merely to sell more of their goods now made, but also to create a demand for other goods."

We fancy what the American manufacturers will say as to the main point as to the obstacles in the way. They will say, first, that they are Europe's so-called "pauper labor" and Europe's cheaper water transportation. In order to offset those obstacles, they will ask for a high tariff on cotton goods. However, that only enables them to hold the American market for American mills against European competition, but it makes their case worse as to going into the world's markets with American-made goods. Naturally, protection increases the cost of manufacturing here, so that protection which shuts European goods out of the United States also keeps American goods from being shipped to foreign countries in competition with Europe's lower-cost products. Thus, protection enables us to get Europe's goat in our home market, while it helps Europe to get ours in the markets of all the balance of the world. Therefore, protection works two ways—it helps us coming but ruins us going. However, a very low tariff would not alter the situation but would make it worse, for it would enable Europe to get a larger market here while it would not help us to get any of her trade in foreign countries.

As a matter of fact, the constant clamoring of American manufacturers for protection is plain evidence of their fear of competition with Europe in their own home market. They think it is about all they can do to get 'em a fence to keep Europe out of their market, so it must be inferred that if they cannot compete at home without protection they can't do it in foreign countries where they would have to fight Europe on equal grounds.

The Manufacturers' Record has raised a huge question, but it presents queries that ought to be answered through careful study and investigation. Now is the time to make a start, The Record insists, and so it is. How much of Europe's skilled labor do we have to compete with instead of the so-called pauper labor to which we lay all the blame? Meanwhile, if labor gets so much more here than it does in Europe, after expenses come out of earnings, it would seem that sooner or later protection here would draw all of Europe's pauper labor to America.

PUT YOUR WAD TO WORK.

Pay-Up Week in Wilmington will be inaugurated next Friday and continue through the 16th of April. Our bills for April have already come in, and if we have not already come across, we can make it a point to do so without fail from April 9th to 16th. We ought to strain a point for the relief of those who have trusted us, and they should do the same for us if they owe us good money that would help us to pay others.

When we pay up our dues it makes us feel better and it probably keeps our creditors from thinking we are "busted." When we owe people and they owe others and folks owe us, and nobody loosens up the circulating medium, it is a moribund asset which might as well be buried in a napkin. What we ought to do, every one of us, is to put our wealth in circulation, especially if it is money we owe to somebody who is entitled to it by rights. It is neither fair nor wise for us to can what would be the other fellow's if we would pay up and look pleasant.

If we will all pay up and keep on paying up, everybody with a grouch will become as "smiling as a basket of chips." As it is, when some people look over the stack of bills due them and scan accounts which they themselves owe, it is about all they can do to avoid feeling like life is not worth living. It is hard lines when money gets tight, and it is we who make money matters tight by getting a grip on our wad and simply holding to it as if it were all we ever expected to get our clutches on.

On the other hand, if we get out our crumpled bills and rusty coin and hand it around, it is bound to make business better for everybody. Money on the go will go round and round, and if everybody is on the job they are sure to round up their share. However, with money as good as canned, we get to the point where trade almost draws its last breath. People put business on the mat when they clutch their money and keep it from getting into the channels of trade.

Therefore, it is a wise thing and a good thing to pay up. We ought to know that it is the proper thing to do. If we do it, we will be prosperity promoters, and prosperity surely will come our way if we will put it on its feet. We need a wave of optimism right now and we can start the wave to rolling by getting out our roll and paying up. Put your wad to work!

CURRENT COMMENT.

Nine-cent cotton already has resulted in an improvement of the business situation in this city and business men and farmers are more hopeful than ever of a prosperity for which they have long lain in wait.—Raleigh Times.

Representative Britt, of the Asheville district, endorses National prohibition, but there is nothing new in this. He has been a prohibitionist and a good one for many years, even if he is a Republican.—Greensboro Record.

It seems that some of the farmers in upper Little River township along the line of the Atlantic & Western Railway, in Harnett county are preparing to engage in truck farming. Mr. B. B. Stewart of that township, will cultivate six acres in Irish potatoes. He will also raise watermelons and other general trucking crops. He expects to make large shipments of truck over the Atlantic & Western. The land in that section is well adapted to the culture of all kinds of truck. The lower section of Lee around Broadway is also well adapted to the culture of truck such as fruit and vegetables and in years to come we expect to see that section in the trucking belt of the State.—Sanford Express.

Sale of Products Company.

By virtue of a decree of the United States District Court in the voluntary bankruptcy proceedings against the Carolina Coast Products Company, the plant with all fixtures, which is located on the lower Cape Fear river, will be sold tomorrow at noon in front of the postoffice.

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OIL BARGE TAMPICO IS STILL DRIFTING

Whereabouts of the Vessel Unknown Last Night

Barge Picked Up by the Texas Was San Antonio, and Not the Tampico, and is Being Towed to Charleston.

The barge Tampico, which broke loose from the tug Pan-American in a 60-mile gale Tuesday night off Frying Pan Shoals and was reported picked up by the steamer Texas ten miles north of Charleston bar Friday morning, is still adrift and her whereabouts is unknown. An unfortunate error, the exact cause of which has not been ascertained, resulted in the return to port of the coast guard cutter Seminole and the tug Pan-American, under the impression that the barge was safe in tow of the steamer Texas.

The steamer Texas has a barge in tow and at 10 o'clock last night was reported near the Charleston bar, but it has been learned by wireless that the barge is not the Tampico but the San Antonio, which the captain of the Texas reports leaking badly and in a sinking condition. Agents of the owners of the barge here in communication with tug boat owners at Charleston learn that the Texas knows nothing about the Tampico.

The tug Pan-American returned to Southport yesterday afternoon, reporting no signs of the barge and not knowing that the Texas was reported as having the barge in tow. The arrival of the Pan-American at Southport without the Tampico was the first that was known of the misunderstanding which resulted in all of the searching vessels returning to port and leaving the barge adrift.

The wireless operator on the coast guard cutter Seminole reported the station at Charleston last night was calling for the Texas, but could get no response. Tug owners in Charleston, in long distance conversation with the agents of the owners of the barge here, stated that the Texas had asked late yesterday afternoon for a tug to meet her at the bar at 12 o'clock last night to aid in bringing in a barge. It was thought that the barge was the Tampico and that the Texas, unable to make any headway against the storm that is sweeping the coast, had put back into Charleston for harbor after anchoring during Friday night. Later conversation with the tug owners at Charleston, however, revealed the fact that the barge in tow of the Texas is the San Antonio and not the Tampico.

The tug Pan-American, which is a large sea-going vessel and carried wireless, asked the coast guard cutter Seminole from Southport last night if she had heard anything from the Tampico. Agents of the owners here last night stated that the tug Pan-American would return to sea to search for the missing craft. Captain P. H. Uberroth, of the Seminole, stated last night that if the Tampico had not been picked up and taken into some place of refuge the vessel would by this time be off the coast of Georgia and in the waters of the cutter Yamacraw which has headquarters at Savannah.

The captain of the Texas, in his wireless message to the Charleston station, said that his tow was leaking badly and if still afloat he would be at the bar with her by 12 o'clock, midnight, and wanted a tug to meet him there to help bring the vessel into port. It could not be learned for certain whether the captain of the Texas knew anything of the whereabouts of the Tampico. The tug owners at Charleston thought not.

The last report of the Tampico's whereabouts was received from Georgetown Friday from a fishing schooner, which put in there for harbor, who reported passing the craft 20 miles south-southwest of the Frying Pan Shoals at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning. That was only a few hours after the barge had broken loose from the Pan-American. Just where the barge has drifted since then and the fate of her crew remain a mystery. The Tampico has 13 men aboard. Just how the misunderstanding came about which caused the impression to get out that the Tampico had been picked up by the steamer Texas and was in tow to Southport cannot be ascertained. The report was given as correct and reached the agents here from authoritative sources, one of which was from the owners of the craft in New York.

The Tampico, the Pan-American, the steamer Texas and the barge San Antonio, which the Texas is reported bringing into Charleston, all belong to the Texas Oil Company of New York and are engaged in transporting oil from the Mexican oil fields at Tampico to Northern ports.

HAD EXCITING EXPERIENCE.

Mr. J. W. Sykes, of Town Creek, Driven Ashore in Boat.

Mr. J. W. Sykes, of Town Creek, who is with the Brunswick Lumber & Shingle Company, was in Wilmington yesterday and told of an exciting experience he had Friday night at the mouth of Town Creek in the heavy wind and rain storm. He was on his way home from the mill and was in a boat with Captain Bordeaux. They had a barge in tow loaded with lumber which was to be brought to Wilmington.

Mr. Sykes said that when they reached the mouth of Town Creek about 6 o'clock they found a very low tide, the lowest that Captain Bordeaux had ever seen at the place. The barge and boat ran ashore; it soon became dark; the tide began to rise, and the wind was blowing a regular gale. It was so rainy and dark that they could not tell where they were drifting. They had no anchor and so were at the mercy of the elements and after about two hours were driven ashore near high land. Unfortunately the little boat was between the barge and the land and was being pounded heavily by the barge on account of the terrific seas. In order to save the little boat they cut her loose from the barge. They worked faithfully for several hours in the rain, sleet and wind to save the boat and cargo. Very little damage was done except that the corner of the barge broke through the cabin twice.

After being cut loose from the barge the boat again drifted ashore. It was about 10 o'clock yesterday morning before they were able to get away.

Mr. Herbert Scott Snead, of San Francisco, to whom Miss Lydia Post, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. F. Post, will be married next Wednesday afternoon, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. Snead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scott Snead, and son, Mr. C. S. Snead, Jr., also arrived yesterday, from their home at Montclair, N. J. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Post.

NUMBER OF CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY

Mr. Wm. E. Springer in the Race For Mayor

Former Head of City Government Will Oppose Mayor P. Q. Moore —Several Candidates for City Council.

Political developments yesterday included a definite announcement by former Mayor William E. Springer that he would be a candidate for mayor in the forthcoming municipal primary, opposing Mayor Parker Quince Moore, who is a candidate for re-election, and the formal announcements of a number of candidates for Council from several different wards. With only one week remaining for candidates to enter the field and file certificates of their candidacy, it is expected that the next few days will witness the campaign beginning to warm up.

Among those whose formal announcements of candidacy for City Council appear elsewhere in today's issue are Messrs. W. A. Woods and Haughton James, of the Sixth ward; J. A. McNorton, Esq., of the Third ward; and Messrs. W. R. Kingsbury and W. J. Bradshaw, o fthe Fifth ward.

Former Mayor Springer and Mayor Moore have opposed each other for the Mayorality on several occasions, and the race between them this time promises to be the feature of the present municipal campaign. Mr. Springer has served the City as Mayor for two terms and was chairman of the old Police and Fire Commission for two years. He has a strong following, and it was only after repeated and urgent solicitation on the part of his many friends that he consented to enter the race this time and again become a candidate for Mayor. Mr. Springer states that he will announce his platform in a few days.

Mayor Moore, who is a candidate for re-election, is ending his first term as executive head of the city government, and he has served with honor to himself and to the city. He is popular and has a host of friends who will support his candidacy for re-election. He served as a Councilman on the first administration under the present city charter, and prior to that time served as an Alderman some years ago.

The announcements of Mr. J. Haughton James and Mr. W. A. Woods, as candidates for Council from the Sixth ward, do not come altogether as surprises, for both gentlemen have been spoken in this connection. Mr. James is a resident of Carolina Heights, while Mr. Woods is a resident of Delgado, and both will have a strong following. While he has made no formal announcement, it is understood that Mr. W. D. Craig, who represents the Sixth ward on City Council at this time, having been elected last week by the Council, will be in the race for re-election, and the name of Mr. J. A. Everett has also been mentioned as a possible candidate from the Sixth, so that there is a possibility of a four-cornered fight in this ward.

J. A. McNorton, Esq., who made his formal announcement last night, had already definitely stated that he would be in the race. He was formerly of the Fourth Ward, but is now in the Third, under the changed ward lines, and he will be a candidate from that ward. Councilman Merritt, of the Third ward, is a candidate for re-election, and Capt. John H. Beery is a candidate from the Third.

With the announcements of Messrs. Kingsbury and Bradshaw, there are now four candidates in the field in the Fifth ward. Councilman Loughlin is a candidate for re-election and Mr. Walter G. Hatch announced his candidacy some days ago.

Councilman T. W. Wood, of the Second ward, who has been mentioned as a possible candidate for Mayor, stated yesterday, after Mr. Springer had announced his candidacy, that he would not be in the race for the Mayorality, but that he would be a candidate for re-election as Councilman. He hesitated to become a candidate on account of his health, but says so many friends have urged him to make the race that he does not feel that he can refuse.

COUNTY FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

Receipts and Disbursements for March —Balance of $64,431.37 on Hand on April 1.

The receipts of the county of New Hanover for the month of March were $45,516.42 and the disbursements were $35,942.15, leaving a balance of $64,431.37, according to the monthly financial statement of County Auditor and Treasurer Orrell, which was completed yesterday. The receipts and disbursementss for the different funds were as follows:

General Fund—Balance on hand March 1, $3,174.72. Receipts for the month were $3,379.23 as follows: Poll and property tax, $2,549.22; schedule B taxes, $170.62; marriage licenses, $28.50; sale of produce, $64.60; hire of prisoners, $46; jail fees, $8.90; Recorder's court, $417.65; stenographer, $3; refund on tobacco, $1.54; back taxes, $89.20.

The disbursements for this fund for month were $2,718.63 as follows: Salaries, $571.34; fees, $11.75; magistrate, $46.13; stationery and advertising, $53.35; jail expense, $163.60; Recorder's court, $352.82; Superior Court, $27.15; roads and bridges, $125; outdoor poor, $302.70; united charities, $73.95; county home, $330.35; farm demonstrator, $70.45; commissioners, $217; constable, $6.15; coroner, $1.40; court house, $111.01; insurance, $30; election, $1.24; Red Cross Society, $126; Northeast river bridge, $0.93; motorcycle expense, $3.02; miscellaneous, $34.26. The balance on April 1 was $3,385.32.

Hospital—Received from poll and property tax, 588.38; paid James Walker Memorial Hospital, $1,000; balance on April 1, $5,530.99.

Road Sinking Fund—Received from poll and property tax, $902.18 and from interest, $98.55. Paid for interest, $37.50, leaving balance on April 1, of $31,344.09.

Road Fund—Received from interest, $19.98 and from sale of dynamite, $2.19. Paid on New Hanover roads, $1,925.56.

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COLUMBIA TAKES THE FIRST PLACE IN RACE

Wilmington Holds Her Own In Membership Contest

Greenville Withdraws, Leaving Spartanburg in Cellar Position—All Associations Reported Big Gains Yesterday.

Wilmington held her own yesterday in spite of the nasty weather and saved herself from the cellar position by a narrow margin in the Y. M. C. A. membership contest. Columbia got busy yesterday and took the first place. Charlotte is still second and evidently will make it interesting for the other associations in the race for the cup. Charleston was another association that reported big gains yesterday and she is now third. The returns indicate that all of the associations were very busy and Wilmington will have to hustle to keep in the running.

Following are the returns as received last night shortly after 9 o'clock:

	Boys	Men	Total
Columbia	228	3,169	3,397
Charlotte	488	2,896	3,384
Charleston	639	2,565	3,204
Jacksonville	301	2,889	3.190
Augusta	337	2,776	3,113
Savannah	553	2,371	2,924
Wilmington	186	1,540	1,726
Spartanburg	264	1,335	1,599

Instead of having lunch at the association building yesterday dinner was served at 5:30 o'clock. There were a large number of the workers present and although the returns were not as large as had been expected, the same spirit of determination was evident and Wilmington is not going to lag behind. Weather conditions have made it well nigh impossible to get out, but with Observer Felger's forecast of fair weather for the next few days, there will be a different story to tell.

Division 1, of which Mr. D. C. North is leader, is still ahead with 994 points but division No. 2, of which Dr. Stanly is captain, is still very much in the running with 636 points. Commodore Howes reported a total of 186 points for the boys, of which 71 were secured yesterday. The leaders made speeches in which they expressed a determination to make greater gains in the remaining days of the contest. Rev. A. J. Parker sang a solo which was very much enjoyed.

Mr. W. L. Hellen, in his Overland, was still the leader in Capt. North's division with 76 points, making a total for the team of 220. Mr. M. J. Cowell was a close second with his speedy Hudson, reporting a total of 73, making a total of 375 so far. Mr. George Diebert reported 25 points, making a total of 162. "Happy" Lewis and his Packard were not running yesterday, although they have 237 points to their credit.

Mr. George Mitchell, in his Mitchell car, was in good running gear yesterday and brought in 57 points for Dr. Stanly's division, making a total for his team of 204. Mr. J. F. Harris, Jr., and his Hupmobile did good work and secured 49 points, making a total of 51 so far. Mr. J. D. Perry and his Ford brought in 34 points yesterday, making a total of 196 for his team.

While it means much for Wilmington to make a good showing in the membership contest, the workers realize that it means much more to interest the young men of the city in the work of the association and it is for this reason that they are putting in such good licks. The advantages of the association have been provided by the community and it is felt that there should be a large number of young men who make use of them. Before the campaign closes Tuesday night, the workers will endeavor to see all whom they feel should join the association and they hope that they may be successful not only in securing the renewal of all the old members but in securing many new ones.

The boys sing with right good will a ditty to the tune of Tipperary in the following catchy verse:

"On your daily itinerary
Put the Y. M. C. A.
Though it's not in the dictionary,
You can join there any day;
Have a talk with the secretary,
He will let you know;
You can bet your life that you will find it
The best place to go."

SPEAKERS ARE ANNOUNCED

Attorney General Gregory and Mr. DeLancey Nicoll to Deliver Address Before Bar Association.

That the Hon. Thomas W. Gregory, Attorney General of the United States, and Mr. DeLancey Nicoll, the eminent New York lawyer, will deliver the principal addresses at the forthcoming annual meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association in Asheville August 2nd, 3rd and 4th, was announced yesterday by Thos. W. Davis, Esq., of this city, secretary of the Association. A number of other legal celebrities are also on the programme for speeches and addresses.

Governor Locke Craig, it is announced, will deliver the address of welcome, while the response will be delivered by Mr. C. F. Harding, of Greenville, N. C. The president's address will be delivered by the Hon. Crawford Biggs, of Raleigh. Attorney General Gregory and Mr. Nicoll will deliver the principal addresses, and other addresses will be delivered by Hon. W. P. Bynum, of Greensboro; Hon. Jas. E. Boyd, United States District judge, and Mr. Frank Spruill, of Rocky Mount.

Invitations will be extended to each member of the Federal Judiciary of the Fourth Circuit, as well as to Hon. W. T. Newman, United States District Judge, of Atlanta, Ga., and to the presidents of the Bar Associations of Virginia, South Carolina, Georgia and Tennessee, to be present at this meeting.

Secretary Davis says all indications point to a large attendance at the annual meeting of the Bar Association, and he expects the forthcoming meeting to be one of the most successful and enjoyable in the history of the organization.

The last annual meeting of the Bar Association was held at Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. D. H. Lee is spending Easter at his old home in Petersburg, Va.

EASTER SERVICES IN WILMINGTON CHURCHES

Sunrise Celebration by Children at St. James' Church

Special Musical Programmes Will be Rendered—Fair Weather is Promised—Christians Will Commemorate Resurrection.

Once again today the Christian world celebrates in glad acclaim the greatest and most significant fact in the religion which has established itself in the hearts of millions of people of every race and in every country—the Resurrection of Christ. It is Easter. That fact stands out prominently in the doctrine of every Christian church for without the resurrection of Christ the teachings of the Christian religion are of no moment.

There is no need to tell the story of man's redemption for in this Christian land it is known to all. For to little tots who make their way to the Sunday school, there to learn of Him who is called Christ, or to the adults, who may not have darkened church doors in long years, the story is familiar. And there is no man who is not better because of this fact; no one who is not glad that this doctrine is preached from the pulpits of this great Christian country.

An event of interest to Wilmington people of all denominations and those of none is the annual Easter sunrise service at St. James' Episcopal church, when the children of the congregation gather in the tall tower and sing songs which breathe the Easter spirit. There will be many people who will rise early this morning to hear them. A similar service will be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd.

In many of the churches of the city there will be special music, significant of the great eternal fact of the Christian religion. The pastors will preach special sermons. There will be large congregations.

The weather man promises fair weather and this will be welcomed. It will make Easter all the more appreciated after two days of weather that has been extremely dreary and unpleasant.

Music at St. John's.

The Easter services at St. John's church, both morning and night, will voice the Easter message in specially prepared music appropriate to the day. For the 11 o'clock service the music will be as follows:

Introit Anthem, "Awake Up, My Glory" (Barnby).
Te deum (Jordan).
Jubilate Deo, (Field).
Offertory Anthey, "Hellelujah, Christ is Risen" (Simper).
Organ postlude, "Hallelujah, Chorus" (Handel).

The service at 8 o'clock in the evening is a special service, prepared at the request of the rector, Rev. William E. Cox, as a fitting close to the services of the day. The musical programme will be:

Nunc Dimittis, (Stainer).
Male quartette, "Blessed Be the Lord" (Gounod).
Mixed quartette, "Praise Ye the Father" (Gounod).
Offertory (solo and chorus), "Holy, Holy, Holy" (Gounod).

Mr. W. G. Robertson, organist of St. James' church, will give a short organ recital before and after service, the programme being as follows:

Praeludium Festivum (dialogue), from Sonata in G minor, by Rene L. Becker.
Chanson du Matin (H. B. Gaul).
Chanson du Soir (H. B. Gaul).
Allegretto Grazioso (Berthold Tours).
Postlude in D (Berthold Tours).

In addition to the above programme Mr. Robertson will play Handel's Largo in G, by special request. A very cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these services. All will be given a hearty welcome.

At Calvary Church.

At Calvary Baptist church this evening at 7:30 o'clock, special Easter services will be held, a programme having been prepared as follows:

"Morn of Life," Choir.
Scripture reading, "The Crucifixion, Burial, Seal, the Resurrection After the Resurrection, the Promise."
Prayer.
"Easter Day," Sunbeam choir.
"The Waking of the Flowers," eight girls.
Offering.
"Passover Song," choir.
Recitation, "Cross and Crown," five girls.
"He is Risen," choir.
Recitation, "He Shall Rise," Master Leon Smith.
"Praise Him," Sunbeam choir.
Address, Mr. J. B. Taylor.
"Mighty Victor," choir.
Benediction.

At First Baptist.

Special Easter services will be held at the First Baptist church, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor, both morning and evening tomorrow. The morning subject of the sermon will be: "Abiding in Him," and in the evening, "The Resurrection." Sunday school will be at 9:45 a. m. and B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.

ESCAPED CONVICT CAUGHT

Randolph Williamson Nabbed by Officers Yesterday—In Jail.

Clad in the gown in which he was dressed when he escaped from the James Walker Memorial hospital Friday night and without shoes, Randolph Williamson, a white convict on the New Hanover roads, was captured yesterday afternoon at the home of Mary Morgan at Second and Kidder streets by Deputy Sheriff Kelly, Constable Davis and Mr. H. Mack Godwin. When the officers arrived at the house Williamson attempted to escape from the room by going up the chimney, but this failing to work, he hid in a closet. However, he was soon located, taken in hand and landed safely in jail.

Williamson made his second escape from the hospital Friday night since he went to the roads a few weeks ago to serve a sentence on a charge of larceny. He was sent to the hospital because of a sore leg which has caused him considerable trouble. When he escaped from the hospital he had on only a gown and his stockings and clad thus made his way across the city in the driving rain. He later found a coat and trousers, but had been unable to get a pair of shoes.

To Play at Chapel Hill.

Grainger's Society Orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Charles S. Grainger, Jr., will play for the Easter dances at the University of North Carolina, at Chapel Hill, commencing Tuesday and lasting three days. The orchestra will also fill engagements in Raleigh and Durham before returning to Wilmington.

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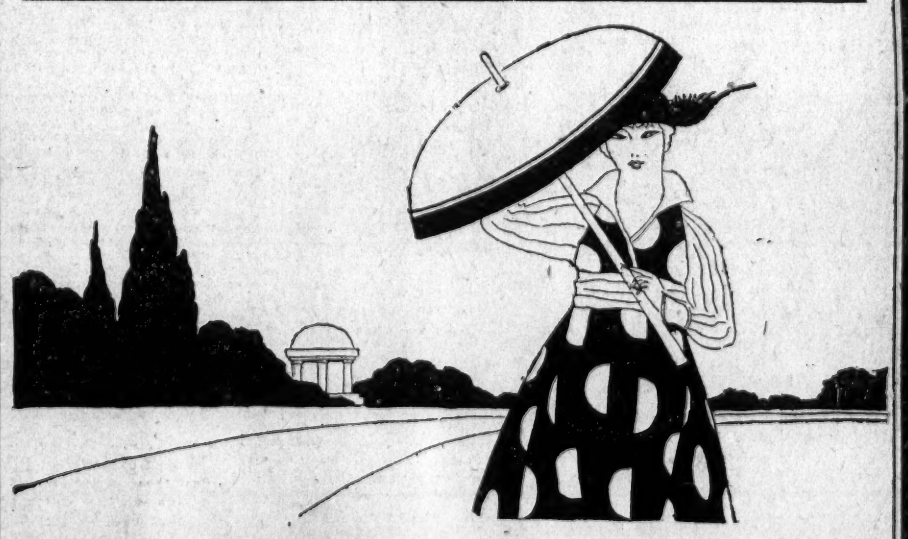

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GOODMAN'S

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. E. J. Winterroth, of New York, is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. H. Bowdoin, No. 617 Red Cross street.

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Mrs. T. L. Speeden, of Philadelphia, Pa., is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Miss Miriam Holladay, of Wilmington, will arrive this afternoon to visit Miss Florence Busbee during the Easter holidays."

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Wilson, N. C., April 3—The announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Annie Maye Corbett, the attractive and cultured daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Corbett to Mr. Snyder Julian Borden, of this city. The marriage is to take place June 1st.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Ida Hankins Missionary Society will be held at Grace Methodist church this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mr. Odis B. Hinnant is expected to address the society. In view of this fact all the members of the society and their friends are expected to be present.

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Mrs. J. A. Smith has returned from Greensboro, where she has been at the bedside of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. R. Rankin, a prominent business man of that city, who has been quite ill. His friends here will be glad to learn that he is now considered out of danger.

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The first lecture in the series on Domestic Science to the members of the Housewives' League will be given by Miss Gleason, a graduate of Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa., on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in the Merchants' exhibit room, Front and Chestnut streets. All the members are invited and urged to attend.

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St. Agnes Guild of St. James Episcopal church will give its annual Easter egg hunt on the church yard tomorrow afternoon. Cake, ice cream and candy will be on sale, while a "Fishing Pond," is announced as an added attraction. Admission is five cents, nurses admitted free. Parents are invited to come and bring the children.

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INVITATIONS OUT FOR THE HOOPER-SMALLBONES WEDDING

Friends here and elsewhere have received the following invitations:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smallbones
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at the marriage of their daughter
Louise Bates
to
Joseph Ward Hooper, M. D.
on the afternoon of Thursday,
the fifteenth of April
nineteen hundred and fifteen
at five-thirty o'clock
Saint James' church
Wilmington, North Carolina.

Enclosed cards announce a reception immediately following the ceremony, at No. 415 South Third street.

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MR. J. B. MOORE TO WED MISS MARIE PARSONS.

Friends in this city have received handsomely engraved invitations reading as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Parsons
request the honor of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Marie
to
Mr. James Bernice Moore
Tuesday evening
the twentieth of April
at half after six o'clock
Methodist Episcopal church
Watha, North Carolina

Mr. Moore is a member of the Pender county family of that name, one of the most prominent in the State. The bride-elect is originally from Virginia, and is a most charming young woman. She was educated at St. Mary's, Raleigh.

The young people will make their home at Farmville.

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AWARDING PRIZES FOR ESSAYS IS POSTPONED

Owing to the fact that examinations at the Wilmington High School were just concluded last week, making it impossible for those desiring to compete for the prizes, offered by the historic committee of the Daughters of the Committee of which Mrs. E. M. Gregg is chairman, to do much work in preparing essays, the awarding of the prizes has been postponed from Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock until Friday morning at the same hour. At that time an elaborate musical programme will be rendered and Mr. John J. Blair will make an address on the battle of Shiloh.

There are two prizes of five dollars in gold each for the boy and girl respectively who write the best essay on the subject of why the South seceded from the Union. The original intention of the committee was to announce the winners on the anniversary of the battle of Shiloh but this could not be done because of the lack of time in which to prepare the essays.

LATE CAPT. A. A. MOSELEY.

Southport News Publishes Appreciative Sketch—An Error.

The Southport News of this week reprints from The Star of last Sunday the sketch of the life of the late Capt. A. A. Moseley, of Horry county, S. C., who was prominent in the army life of the Lower Cape Fear during the War Between the States, the article having been contributed by Mr. N. F. Nixon, of Wampee, S. C.

In this connection The Star deplores a most egregious error that occurred in the original publication of the sketch in that a line from another article in the same paper—"In Destitute Circumstances"—was transposed and appeared over the article with reference to Capt. Moseley. Nothing could have been further from a correct statement than the implication in the offending line as Capt. Moseley was well fixed in this world's goods, had lived in plenty and died with every comfort and attention that could be had by a man of means. It was also stated that his widow was the widow of N. F. Dixon, when the name should have been, of course, Nixon.

Donations to Kennedy Home.

The following donations to the Catherine Kennedy Home were received during the month of March: Mrs. Tom Bagley, groceries; Mrs. Alice Everett, sugar; a friend, coffee; Miss Dorothy Einstein, magazines; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, apples; First Presbyterian church, supper, sandwiches and cake; Miss Beatrice Einstein, magazines; Mrs. L. K. Taylor, preserves; a friend, ice cream; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, Irish potatoes; Mr. R. Bellamy and Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, drugs; Plate Ice Co., and Independent Ice Co., ice daily.

CAMPAIGN BEGINS TUESDAY

Workers Will Make Canvass of Wilmington This Week to Secure Funds for Y. W. C. A.

The annual finance campaign of the Wilmington Young Women's Christian Association will begin Tuesday morning and will continue for five days. In order that the plans of the association for this year may be carried out and the work of the association advanced as it should be, it will be necessary to secure $2,500. Last year $5,000 was raised for the work of the association and with only half this amount to be raised this year it is believed that no difficulty will be experienced in securing the necessary funds.

At the April meeting of the house committee of the association, the report of Mrs. Lowe, the house secretary, was read and the members of the committee were very much gratified to learn of the success that has been achieved. During the month of March 1,033 meals were served, an increase of 151 over February. The receipts from the boarding department were $186.95 and the disbursements were $177.97, making a net profit for the month of $8.98. The committee was delighted to find that this department is self-supporting and at the same time meals are served at a cost of 25 cents each or $4 a week.

The educational department is also self-supporting. Fourteen different courses have been offered during the winter. There are 21 different classes including instruction in cooking, sewing, first aid, basketry, millinery, embroidery, home nursing, shorthand, arithmetic, bookkeeping, English, parliamentary law and elocution.

In view of the fact that two of the most important departments of the association are self-supporting, the friends of the association may wonder why they are called upon to subscribe to the work of the association. This is made necessary because there is no other means of meeting the cost of administration except through membership fees and subscriptions.

The association was opened just about a year ago and has had time to find itself. The finance committee is now able to budget their receipts and exjenditures intelligently. It is estimated that the costs of maintenance including the expense of administration, residence, social department, religious department and physical department with a payment on the property will be $6,670 while the receipts from membership, residence, educational and physical departments will amount to $3,670. This leaves a deficit of $3,000 to be met by subscription. By close economy the ladies have been able to close the past year with a balance in band of $500 after making a payment of $1,000 on the property and setting aside $2,500 for a new gymnasium. This balance reduces the amount to be raised to $2,500.

Last year nearly $5,000 was raised but this year because of the splendid work that the association has done it will be necessary to traise only half this amount. The association is no longer an experiment and has closed the fiscal year most creditably. Best of all it has established itself firmly in the hearts of the people of Wilmington.

Many held off last year waiting to see the association tried out. Having heard the good reports of the different departments and having learned of its effective work on all sides, these will no doubt not only give it their moral support but will also give it material help.

The workers, who are to start out bright and early Tuesday morning, feel assured that by consecrated and concentrated efforts, the necessary funds can be secured in even less than five days. They believe that the business men of Wilmington will meet them in the same spirit in which they come.

WHAT THE Y. W. C. A. MEANS TO ME

The first of a series of letters from members of the Young Women's Christian Association in different walks of life on what the Association means to them is published today. Others will be printed from time to time. A Stenographer today tells about her experience with the Association and her letter follows:

"Since becoming a member of the Young Women's Christian Association I have derived many benefits and much good; the pleasant associates in and connected with the institution are enough within itself to make one long to get back when their day's work is done. I take my dinner and supper at the home, which I thoroughly enjoy, as I have always found the meals good and wholesome. Not only do I get good food to eat, but when I arrive for my meals, I am always greeted with a pleasant 'How are you' or some other term, which makes one feel at home, and to a great measure lessens the worn-out feeling which usually follows a hard day's work.

"We have a very nice rest room, provided with couches, where we have access to books and magazines, also a reception room in which to receive and entertain our friends. We have classes each night in the week from which one can derive much benefit. Also after supper each night we have a prayer service which we all enjoy.

"Our brother Association, the Y. M. C. A., is a wonderful institution, but to my mind, I feel that the same advantages, if not greater, should be provided for the Young Women's Christian Association, as I believe it is estimated that about 32 times as many kinds of opportunities are offered to boys as there are to girls. We are anticipating a number of improvements, such as gymnasium, tennis court, and also a cottage at the beach. With surroundings such as these, it should make any business girl endeavor to become a member of the Association.

A STENOGRAPHER.

—Policemen J. F Jordan, R. F. Toler and A. L. Long made the usual Saturday night raid last night and brought in 13 negroes to the police station on the usual charge of playing the game commonly known as "skin."

—Mr. Vance Bounds, of the Bunting Pharmacy, is spending the Easter holidays in Columbia, S. C

SUNDAY SERVICES

**"Day of all the week the best,
Emblem of eternal rest."
"Day of rest and gladness."
Day of worship and of hope. Day for family fellowship. Day on which to seek rest for our souls. We have six days for our own employment. God claims the seventh part of our time for Himself. This First day of the week is the day of the seven when we should meet because of His resurrection who brought life and immortality to light through the Gospel. Come let us meet in His name who is "The Resurrection and the Life."**

Grace Methodist church, corner of Grace and Fourth streets: Preaching at 11 and 7:30 o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Bundy. New members will be received at the conclusion of both services. Sunday school at 9:45, M. F. Allen, superintendent. Midweek prayer meeting services Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, limited to 45 minutes. Epworth League meeting Friday evening at 8. Let all the members attend these services. Strangers and visitors cordially welcome.

St. Mary's ProCathedral, Fifth and Ann streets. First mass and holy communion at 7. Last mass and sermon at 10:30. Vespers and sermon "The Divinity of Christ" at 8. Special programme of music arranged for each service.

First Baptist church, worship at 11 o'clock, subject "Abiding in Him" and at 8 in the evening, subject: "The Resurrection." After the sermon the ordinance of baptism will be administered. Sunday school at 9:45 in the morning. B. Y. P. U. at 7 in the evening. Rev. J. H. Foster, D. D., pastor.

Castle Heights Methodist church, Fifteenth and Castle streets: Sunday at 3:30 and preaching at 7:30 in the evening by the pastor, Rev. T. C. Ellers. The public is cordially welcomed.

St. Matthews, Ev. Lutheran church, Fourth and Harnett streets, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor: Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject "He is Risen." The Lord's Supper will be administered at this service. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. An Easter service will be rendered by the Sunday school entitled: "Easter Around the World." Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon. Wednesday service at 8 o'clock in the evening. Everybody welcome to all the services.

Southside Baptist church, corner of Fifth and Wooster streets, Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor. Morning worship at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 8 o'clock by the pastor. Morning subject: "The Faithful and His Reward," in the evening "Finding the Difficult Way." Sunday school at 3 in the afternoon. Public cordially invited to all services of the church.

Christian Science services Seventeenth and Market streets at 11 in the morning. Subject: "Reality." Scriptural lesson from Genesis Sunday school 12 noon. Wednesday evening services at 8:15 o'clock.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, Sixteenth and Market streets. Easter services: Holy Communion 7:30. Morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon at 11. Sunday school festival at 4 in the afternoon. Evening prayer and sermon at 8. Rev. E. deF. Heald, Jr., priest-in-charge.

St. James' church, Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector. Easter day Holy Communion at 7:30 in the morning. Morning prayer sermon and Holy Communion at 11. Children's celebration at 4:30 in the afternoon. Sermon at morning service: "Doubting Doubt Away." Everybody welcome come and bring a friend.

Six Street Advent church, Six street between Church and Castle, Elder J. P. King, pastor. Sunday services at 11 and 8 o'clock. Baptising and Lord's Supper at evening service. Sunday school at 3 in the afternoon. Orchestra music at Sunday school and evening service. T. A. C. M. Workers meet Monday. Prayer meeting Tuesday. Social Aid Society Wednesday evening.

Bladen Street Methodist church, corner of Fifth and Bladen streets, Rev. T. G. Vickers, pastor. Services at 11 and 8 o'clock. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the morning service. The doors of the church will be opened at the night service for the reception of new members. There will be special music by the choir and quartette. Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to all services.

Fifth Street Methodist church, Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor, located on Fifth avenue, between Nun and Church streets: Preaching at 11 and 7:45 by the pastor, special Easter music. Morning sermon followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Reception and welcome of new members at the night service. Sunday school at 3, in the afternoon. Epworth League Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. League prayer meeting Sunday evening at 7:30. The regular mid-week prayer meeting conducted by the pastor Wednesday evening. The public is most cordially invited to all these services. Let all remember that this is the day that we take our annual missionary collection and come with a real offering for this great cause.

St. John's Episcopal church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox rector. Holy Communion 7:30. Morning prayer and Holy Communion 11, special Easter music. Children's Easter service, full choral at 4 in the afternoon. Evening prayer with special music at 8. Organ recital before and after the evening service by Mr. W. G. Robertson, organist of St. James' church. Seats free. All are cordially invited.

St. John's Mission, 1313 North Fourth street. Sunday school, with Easter service at 9:30. Service with illustrated Bible lesson Wednesday evening 7:45. All are cordially invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market and Sixth streets, Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor: Easter services 11 and 7:30 o'clock. Sermon, music, decorations telling the glad news. "He is Risen!" In song and recitation members of the Sunday school will set forth the progress of the Easter message through the world. Visitors are cordially invited to these services. Sunday school 3:30 Reception to new members Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

DOKIES HERE THIS MONTH

Large Class of Candidates Will Cross Burning Sands Tuesday, April 20th—Boliver.

The Dramatic Order, Knights of Korassan, will make a pilgrimage to the Oasis of Wilmington Tuesday, April 20th, when—Allah being willing—there will be 60 or more peoples to cross the burning sands—and the druggists ought to do a good business the next morning, adds an enthusiastic member of the order.

Wilmington will furnish the sand, he says, and Charlotte the heat. Features will be plentiful, he promises, for the entertainment of the public, and adds that a complete list of the "fresh meat" will be furnished the press and the local butchers next week.

One of the stellar attractions, he says, will be "Boliver" the largest elephant in captivity, who will make his first appearance on the streets of Wilmington.

Suez Temple, No. 73, D. O. K. K., of Charlotte, will be here for the event with a full team of 25 and an orchestra, as well as a car load of scenery.

The local enthusiast asks that those who may wish to take advantage of the opportunity be reminded that the class is not yet quite complete, and that the committee will be glad to receive names during the next few days.

ACTIVE DEMAND FOR POTASH SALTS EXISTS

Mr. Randolph Thinks Fertilizer Interests Have Been Liberal.

"The fertilizer manufacturers report an improvement in sales and the prospects more encouraging," said Mr. Wilton Randolph, local manager of the Fertilizer Agencies Company, yesterday, in discussing the outlook for this year. "A very active demand exists, particularly for muriate potash, and other potash salts, and record prices are being paid. Present prices are due to a demand outside of the fertilizer industry as these prices are prohibitive for agricultural purposes.

"To one who has followed the situation in the South during the past six month," he continued, "it is surprising that no public tribute has been rendered to the fertilizer interests for their liberal treatment of the agricultural industry and the manner in which they have handled the large quantity of cotton taken over as collateral. Last fall when cotton was temporarily accepted in lieu of cash, there was little in the outlook to warrant an opinion that prices would advance and in fact many were fearful of a still further decline. The fertilizer interests, instead of sacrificing cotton in a frenzied effort to guard against a possible further loss, assumed this unexpected burden with calmness and have displayed sound judgment throughout. That the fertilizer interests have played an important part in the restoration of more normal conditions is not to be denied and we should not withhold our approbation of the policy which made for a steady advance in the price of cotton with its accompanying benefits."

—Suit was started in Superior Court yesterday by Armour & Co., against J. H. Stone, R. R. Stone and R. R. Stone, executor, of B. O. Stone deceased, trading as the Tidewater Grocery Company. J. O. Carr, Esq., represents the plaintiff.

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CONCORD CHAPTER, NO. 1, R. A. M.

Will meet in Special Convocation Monday evening, April 5th, at 8 o'clock for work in Mark Master's Degree.

Companions are urged to be present.

By order of High Priest.

JAS. H. TAYLOR, JR.,
Secretary.

APRIL SALE

At J. W. H. Fuchs' Department Store Starts Thursday, April 8th and Will Continue For 10 Days

Owing to the severe weather the spring season for heavy shipping has been backward and we are greatly overstocked in every department and most of all **we need the money.** So we have decided to inaugurate a selling event that will startle everyone. Remember that we are cutting the price on all the new spring and summer goods, including the millinery and Ladies' Ready-to-wear Departments. If you want to save money on every purchase you can't afford to miss this sale. During this 10-days' sale everything will be sold for cash and no goods will be **sent out on approval.**

Thursday at 9 a. m., and for 15 minutes, we will sell 10 yards to a customer of good Calico for **30c**

Thursday from 10 to 11 a. m. we will sell Androscoggin yard-wide Bleached Domestic Linen, 10 yards to a customer, 10 yards for **69c**

Thursday from 4 to 5 p. m. we will sell 10c quality Dress Gingham and Chambray, not over 8 yards to a customer, per yard **5c**

Friday at 10 a. m., and for 15 minutes, we will sell large Pebble Huck Towels, size 22x46 inches; positively worth 15c each; not over five to a customer, each **10c**

Friday at 4 p. m. we will sell 5 yards to a customer of good Apron Gingham for **20c**

Extra Special Ladies' Colonial Oxfords in Gun Metal and Patent Leather; worth $2.50 to $3.00 a pair. Sale price per pair **$1.69**

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$7.50 Pattern Hats. These hats are real beauties; to appreciate them you must see them. Sale price **$5.98**
$7.00 Pattern Hats for **$4.98**

$10.00 Pattern Hats, featuring all that is new and up to the minute in style. Sale price **$7.98**

One special lot of Hats, values up to $6.00. Every hat in this lot is positively the very newest thing for spring. We will close them out at, each **$3.48**

Trimmed Hats from our own work rom from . . . . . **$1.28 to $6.48**

Ladies' $1.50 Palm Beach Hats **98c**

Children's Hats . . . . **42c to $2.19**

We have a full line of shapes and trimmings of every description and all will be greatly reduced in price.

Ladies' Silk Poplin one-piece Dresses made in all the new spring styles; $7.50 values for **$4.98**

Ladies' $2.50 and $3.00 Crepe de Chine and Messaline Silk Shirtwaists for **$1.98**

$10.00 Silk one-piece Dresses in Poplin and Messaline Silk; made in the new Spring styles and colors. Sale price, each **$7.98**

Extra special Ladies' White Skirts One special lot that was slightly soiled in shipping (but can be easily cleaned), values up to $3.00. Your choice of the lot for, each . **89c**

Middy Blouse and Children's School Dresses at bargain prices.

Coat Suit Special. We have a limited number of coat suits embracing all the new spring styles. We will close them out at a great sacrifice.

MEN'S AND BOYS' DEPARTMENT.

Men's $2.00 Felt Hats in all the new nobby spring styles. Sale price **$1.79**

Men's $3.00 Felt Hats **$2.69**

Men's Straw Hats in all the new spring styles and shapes **$1.48 to $2.98.**

Boys' Norfolk Suits with full College peg top style Kickerbocker Pants. Prices . . . . . **$3.00 to $9.45**

Men's Suits made in all the new spring styles. Every suit is guaranteed by us to give entire satisfaction in every respect or your money will be cheerfully refunded.
Prices . . **$10.00, $12.50 and $15.00.**

Boys' "Kaynee" Blouses, each **50c**

Men's Palm Beach Suits **$2.98** and up.

Men's Shirts in all the new spring styles **50c to $1.00.**

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COURT NOTICE

All jurors and witnesses summoned to appear at court on Monday, April Fifth, are hereby notified that they need not appear until Tuesday, April Sixth, at nine thirty a. m.

W. N. HARRISS,
Clerk Superior Court.
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HISTORIES OF THE COUNTIES A VITAL NEED FOR N. CAROLINA

An Appeal by Archibald Henderson, Member American Historical Association; State Literary and Historical Association of North Carolina; Mississippi Valley Historical Association, Etc.

There are many signs in North Carolina today that our people are taking a deeper and more constructive interest in local history. I have been reading quite recently such interesting and valuable studies in local history as "Events of the Lower Cape Fear," by Mr. James Sprunt, of Wilmington; "A History of Western North Carolina," by Mr. John P. Arthur, of Asheville; and "In Ancient Albermarle," by Miss Catherine Albertson, of Elizabeth City. These, and works of like character, testify eloquently to the rising tide of interest in local North Carolina history, and to the desire on the part of our people to memorialize in enduring form the deeds and achievements of our past.

I regard the writing of the local history of North Carolina as the most vital and immediate problem in historical investigation now confronting our people. No people can form a just estimate of their own history, or feel legitimate pride therein, until they have actually discovered what that history is. I believe that no comprehensive or fully complete history of the State of North Carolina, up to any given point in time, will be written or can be written, until the contributions of the individual geographical units, such as counties or sections, are studied and set forth with elaboration and detail. In large measure, the history of the State is made up of the history of the units of which it is composed. The State history is, to a very great extent, the collection and integration of the histories and sketches of the counties and the geographical divisions of the State. The county is the unit of the State. The history of the county furnishes the indispensable nucleus for the history of the State.

There is enough pride of birth and family in North Carolina, we are abundantly assured, so that we may have no fear that individuals and the part they have played in the past will be neglected by our native writers. Important works of biography are published from time to time, notably those fostered by the North Carolina Historical Commission. Biography is not the precise word to use; for these works are really collections of letters, papers and documents, dealing with the public activities and private interests of great men of the State. Notable works in this case are "The Letters of Jonathan Worth" in two volumes, edited by Prof. J. G. de Roulhac Hamilton, of the State University, already published; "The Letters and Memorials of Chief Justice Thomas Ruffin," in preparation, also under the editorship of Dr. Hamilton; "The Letters and Papers of Archibald D. Murphy," in two volumes, recently published, edited by William Henry Hoyt, of New York city, and "The Letters and Papers of William P. Mangum" (in preparation), edited by Dr. Stephen B. Weeks, of Washington City. Other works of like character, by North Carolina writers, are in course of preparation—works dealing with important characters and events in the life of the State.

It is becoming generally recognized that we need here in North Carolina an institutional history of our State. In speaking of the constructive forces in the life of a state, Dr. C. Alphonso Smith recently said: "The most important are agriculture, transportation, manufacturing, government, literature, education, religion and representative leadership. These are the forces which have moulded the past of every American State and in which the American places his confident trust for the future. History must correlate these forces with the past and must interpret them in terms of the present. It must give the pupil such a realization of their significance as will make the preceding narrative of his State's development seem not a meaningless tale but the inevitable result of interesting forces."

Many evidences are multiplying of the interest now being displayed in these phases of the development of North Carolina in past and present. Dr. Battle's monumental work on "The History of the University of North Carolina" in two large volumes; Dr. Hamilton's "History of Reconstruction in North Carolina;" Prof. C. L. Coon's "History of Public Education in North Carolina" in two volumes, already published, and his "History of Private Schools in North Carolina," 1770-1840, now in press, are conspicuous examples of works of this type.

The publications which now for years have been making invaluable contributions to the history of the State, in the way of monographs, collections of letters, and historical and biographical sketches, are the "Sprunt Historical Publications," the "Trinity College Historical Papers," and the "North Carolina Booklet." Two new lines of investigation, being conducted by two of the leading historical investigators of the State, are deserving of wide note and the strongest commendation. Since its inauguration, the "South Atlantic Quarterly" has from time to time published valuable and important contributions to the history of the State. Two exceedingly valuable and scholarly historical essays, showing exhaustive and diligent research, are the two recent papers of Dr William K. Boyd, of Trinity College: "The Finances of the North Carolina Library Fund" (July and October, 1914). An even more important and elaborate research by the same author, constituting one of the Historical Papers, Series X, published by the Trinity College Historical Society, is "Currency and Banking in North Carolina, 1770-1834."

I have noted with pride and gratification the inauguration of a new series of historical publications in the State, which bid fair to perform a great service in the renaissance of historical activity in North Carolina. This is the series of North Carolina State Normal and Industrial College publications, issued under the direction of the department of history and edited by Prof. W. C. Jackson. The first three numbers are all written by the able writer and exact historian, Mr. R. D. W. Connor, secretary of the N. C. Historical Commission. As announced, these first three publications are, in the order named: "Race Elements in the White Population of North Carolina"; Revolutinary Leaders in North Carolina," and "Ante-Bellum Builders of North Carolina." These three historical investigations cover a wide area in our history, giving a birdseye view of many aspects of the State's history for a period of considerably more than half a century. Read in the order named, they give a graphic account of North Carolina's development, racially, politically and industrially, from early days down to the time of the War Between the States. They are the fruits of Mr. Connor's lectures, during past years, delivered at the State Normal and Industrial College, and before the University of North Carolina Summer School.

The complete set of the "Proceedings and Addresses of the Sessions of the State Literary and Historical Association of North Carolina" constitute an exceedingly valuable repository of historical essays dealing with various phases of the life of the State. Feeling as strongly as I do the need for the stimulation and fostering of interest in the writing of the histories of the counties of our State, I desired to identify the association during the past year with this great task. The opening session was exclusively devoted, on that account, to the general topic of county history. Papers were read by Dr. W. K. Boyd, on "A New Type of County History," and by Prof. E. C. Branson on "The Vital Study of the County." A conference on "How to Secure the Writing of County Histories" was held, participated in by Prof. W. C. Jackson, Miss Adelaide Fries, Hon. T. M. Pittman, Dr. Stephen B. Weeks, Hon. Frank Nash, Mr. E. L. Bean, and others. A committee to study the problem was appointed. This committee, consisting of Mr. R. D. W. Connor, Dr. W. K. Boyd, Prof. W. C. Jackson, Mr. Frank Nash, and the writer, are now studying this problem with a view to issuing a bulletin dealing in detail with the subject of the county history and the best means for stimulating such research.

First and foremost, we must endeavor to arouse local interest in every county of the State, both in local investigators and local historical organizations. The immediate task, beyond question, is to locate, collate and catalogue, such materials of historic interest as may remain in private hands. Moreover, the historical organizations, through their local chapters, should call for a report on the archives of the society, on the historical collections which belong to the society, together with an accurate description of their contents. In especial, every effort should be made to locate letters, papers, deeds, documents, ledgers, maps, land grants, wills, marriage bonds diaries, journals, portraits, prints sketches, daguerrotypes, mintatures, antique silver, furniture, china and glass ware, relics and curios of any description, which give a view of the thoughts and habits, the modes of life and the ideals of the people in by-gone days. Two illustrations of important movements in the right direction are afforded by the towns of Salisbury and Henderson. In the splendid community centre, recently opened at Salisbury with appropriate ceremonies, are the quarters of the reorganized Rowan County Historical Society. Here will be preserved a valuable collection of books, manuscripts, newspapers and the like, dealing with the history of the county and town from the earliest day of which there is knowledge. There will be immediate access to the records of the county, in the superb new, fireproof court house next door. In this way, workers who visit Salisbury for the purpose of undertaking historical research will have every facility afforded them. The municipal library will also be housed in the same building, the community center, which will be of untold value to historical students.

In Henderson, a short time ago, an important movement was set on foot for the study of local history. This is the undertaking of the local Circle of Colonial Dames, under the chairmanship of Mrs. C. M. Cooper. These ladies, according to their report, have decided to collect colonial miniatures, pictures of colonial homes in that section of the State, to write histories of old houses, preserve historical data of all kinds, etc. This is a most laudable programme; and all of us who love North Carolina and her history earnestly trust that these patriotic ladies will prosecute their inquiries and researches with the utmost vigor. Such an example should have a most favorable effect upon other circles of Colonial Dames in North Carolina, in inspiring them to undertake the same sort of intensive study of local history.

Some account of what has been done in North Carolina, in the matter of the writing of county histories, will show where we stand, and will convince us of the pressing need, the patriotic duty, of making great exertions in this direction from this time forward. Also, a comparison with some other State, such as Illinois, for instance, will prove how little comparatively speaking, has been done in North Carolina in this direction. John H. Wheeler's "Historical Sketches of North Carolina," and his "Reminiscences of North Carolina" employ the county as the unit of the chapter. And in spite of the fact that both books, unavoidably for the pioneer investigator, are teeming with errors, they have been of immense, value to our people, in furnishing a considerable medium of reliable fact, somewhat tarnished by occasional inexactitudes sometimes of considerable magnitude. Even of more value than this contribution of sheer data, has been the value of the stimulation to research afforded by Wheeler's brief histories of the counties. Many a local investigator, after studying the history of his county for a while, discovers how imperfect and inadequate Wheeler's chapters are; how many errors there are in the genealogical sketches; how misleading the balance (or lack of balance) and sense of proportion, how deceptive the historical perspective in many cases. So the local investigator is fired to set old Wheeler straight, to readjust the balance, to amplify the sketch of the county in the light of later discoveries and investigations. On February 10, 1857, Governor Swain sent out a circular letter throughout the State in which he said: "To attain uniformity, in the series of county histories—perhaps a better plan cannot be suggested, than to make Wheeler's "Sketches of North Carolina" available to the purpose." Today this advice is almost wholly lacking in force. For the two invaluable written and printed sources upon which county history in North Carolina for two important periods in our State history must primarily rest were not then available. The 30 volumes of the "Colonial and State Records of North Carolina," and the five volumes of "Regimental Histories" for the period of 1861-5. The most important sources of all are, of course, the county archives and the State archives. Following after these come original sources held in private hands; newspaper files, which have been utilized almost not at all by historians of North Carolina at any period of our history in any line; the diaries and journals, travels and reminiscences of natives, visitors, and strangers, of which, as in the case of newspapers, little use thus far has been made by former investigators.

The problem we have to face, first of all, is: Who will write the histories of the counties? To this question there is and can be, but one answer: the local investigator and historian. It is a practical impossibility in almost all cases, for a man or woman to live in one county and write the history of another and remote county. Furthermore, it is the man or woman who is familiar with all the sources of information, and who is proud of the county of his nativity or of his residence, as the case may be—this is the person inalmost all instances, who may be counted upon to write the county history in North Carolina.

There is one other class, however, who are in a better position, in one respect, for prosecuting research in county history, than the people in any other class. There are the college students, at such institutions as the State University, the State Normal and Industrial College, Trinity, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, Wake Forest, and Davidson. The seniors and the graduate students, during the collegiate year, have at their command the great wealth of information afforded by the libraries of the centers of learning. Furthermore, within easy access, in most cases, is Raleigh, with its steadily accumulating store of information about all the phases of North Carolina's life. During the summer vacation the student may make an exhaustive study of his county records, and bring back to his college, for rounding into shape during the nine months of the college year, the raw materials collected during the summer. No more instructive or suggestive piece of historical research could be entrusted to the advanced student than the writing of the history of his home county. It is most earnestly hoped that our professors of history in our institutions of learning in North Carolina will more and more in the future, vary the endless monotony of sketches of individuals and accounts of single movements, by assigning the writing of the county history to certain of their advanced students. Under proper guidance and control, the story of the county might be succinctly told in 25,000 words. Such county histories would be constructed in the light of the most advanced methods of historical research, under the guidance of historical authorities and experts.

I am most anxious to obtain the following information: How many histories of North Carolina counties have been written, and of what counties? How many sketches of paris of county history, covering only a limited period of time, have been written, and what are they?

For the benefit of the committee at work upon this problem, I now make the following appeal to the public: Please send to me at the earliest possible moment, the actual volume of any county history, or in lieu of that, the title, and name of the author, of any county history, or any sketch of a county for a certain period of time, which may be known to you. This appeal is addressed to the public generally, but in especial to local historians and investigators, to prominent citizens, men and women, who are concerned for the preservation of their county's history, and to the authors of the works and sketches in question.

This appeal is addressed to you, the reader.

This Means You!

In particular, I would make the earnest request that sketches of local history published in local newspapers, be sent in also. It goes without saying that any one who has not such sketches and articles in his own possession, but knows where they may be found—that is, where they appeared and when—will confer a great favor upon the committee if he will write to me and give me the fullest possible information.

"The Bibliographer's Manual of American History," compiled by T. L. Bradford and edited by S. V. Hankels, purports to give an account of all State, territory, town and county histories relating to the State of North Carolina, with verbatim copies of their titles, etc. I have not had access to this work in five volumes which may contain titles with which I am not familiar. In his "A Select Bibliography of North Carolina" a list of books for schools, libraries and amateurs, by Dr. Stephen B. Weeks, are found the following titles under "County History and Topography." This list, which is very incomplete, so far as conveying a correct idea of what has actually been accomplished in the writing of county histories in North Carolina, is confessedly limited to books which may be purchased for school libraries. The list follows:

"Alamance," by Miss S. W. Stockard, 1900, pp. 166 o. p.

"Catawba," by George W. Hahn, 1911, pp. 385.

"Forsyth," by Miss Adelaide L. Fries, 1898, pp. 132.

"Guilford," by Miss S.W. Stockard, 1902, pp. 197.

"Haywood," by W. C. Allen, 1908, pp. 132.

"Hertford," by B. B. Winborne, 1906, pp. 348.

"Mecklenberg," (1), by J. B. Alexander, 1902, pp. 435.

"Mecklenburg," (2), by D. A. Tompkins, 1903, 2v. (pp. 220 and 226).

"New Hanover," by A. M. Waddell, 1910, vol. 1, p. 232 (vol. 2 not published; vol. 1 comes down to 1800).

"Pitt," by Henry T. King, 1911, pp. 262.

"Randolph," by J. A. Blair, 1890, pp. 57.

"Rowan," by Jethro Rumple, 1881, pp. 536, o. p.

"Union," by A. M. Stack and R. F. Beasley, 1902.

"Wake," Centennial History of Raleigh, by K. P. Battle, 1893, pp. 144.

"Wilkes," by John Crouch, 1902, pp. 141.

In addition to the above list there are a certain number of titles which belong chiefly to periodical literature. Nevertheless they constitute the beginnings for the complete histories of the counties concerned. Some years ago the North Carolina Booklet offered to publish county histories for the purpose of stimulating local research. I append below the tentative list of titles:

"Hillsboro, Colonial and Revolutionary," by Francis Nash, Edwards and Broughton, Raleigh, 1903, pp. 100.

"The Revolutionary History of Chatham County," by H. A. London. Cole Printing Company. Sanford, N. C., 1876.

"Brief History of Macon County," by the Rev. C. D. Smith.

"Early History of Lincoln County," by Alfred Nixon. News Print, Lincolnton, N. C., 1908.

"History of Lincoln County," by Alfred Nixon. N. C. Booklet, IX. No. 3.

"History of Orange County," part 1, by Francis Nash. N. C. Booklet, X, No. 2.

"The Early History of Craven County," by S. M. Brinson, N. C. Booklet. X. No. 4.

"Union County and the Old Waxhaw Settlement," by Robert New McNeely. N. C. Booklet, XII. No. 1.

"Anson County," by Mrs. J. G. Boylin. N. C. Booklet, XIII, No. 4.

"Foot Prints on the Sands of Time," by Dr. S. B. Cox. The Star Pub. Co. Sparta, N. C. August, 1900.

"Centennial Address on the History of Cartaret County," by Appleton Oaksmith. Beaufort Eagle. July, 1876.

In addition to the list just given, doubtless incomplete, a number of works have recently appeared which deal with certain sections of the State. And it is understood that certain works of similar character as well as certain county histories, are now in preparation. Of works recently published mention should be made of "A History of Western North Carolina," by Mr. John P. Arthur; "Cape Fear Chronicles," by Mr. James Sprunt, and "In Ancient Albermarle," by Miss Catherine Albertson.

We have information more or less authentic, to the effect that the following works are in course of preparation, or at least projected:

"The Scotch Settlement on the Upper Cape Fear," by A. W. McLean.

"A History of Rowan County," in 2 vols., by Mr. A. H. Bean.

"A History of Beaufort County," by Miss Lida T. Rodman.

It is worthy of note that more than one investigator has begun the task of writing the history of Granville county. A number of years ago the announcement was made that Dr. Thomas M. Owen, director of the department of archives and history, Montgomery, Ala., had in course of preparation a history of Granville county from its earliest settlement down to 1800. On July 4, 1876, the late Dr. T. B. Kingsbury delivered in the Chapel of St. John's Orphan Asylum, at Oxford, N. C., an elaborate address on the history of Granville county. This address was afterwards greatly expanded by the author, and selected chapters therefrom were published from time to time, notably in the Wake Forest Student and

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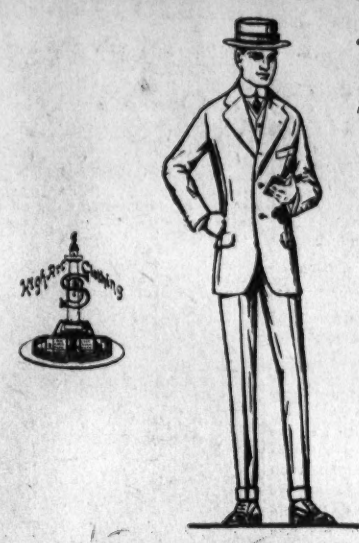

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CONQUERING DISCOURAGEMENTS.

Psalms 27:1-14 (Consecration Meeting.)

The helping hand and the cheery word are needed every day. Many people are gloomy and discouraged because no one in a cheery manner says "Cheer up!"

There is no better illustration of the way we should conquer our discouragements or rise out of our trials than we have in the life of Paul. From the day of his conversion to the day of his death trouble followed him. He was misunderstood, persecuted, shipwrecked, placed in a dungeon, and deserted by his friends. But he never spoke one word of giving up. He was cast down but not destroyed. He could not be defeated, for he had Christ in him.

"The wind that blows can never kill
The tree God plants.
It bloweth east; it bloweth west,
The tender leaves have little rest,
But any wind that blows is best
For the tree that God plants."

Emerson said: "My life should be unique, it should be an aims, a battle, a conquest, a medicine." The way in which we view life, whether it shall be a life or a spectacle, will depend our success in conquering discouragements in our daily experiences.

A life is the embodiment of lofty ideals and noble purposes and the attainment thereunto must necessarily be accomplished by numerous difficulties. In our enthusiasm to succeed we overlook this fact and our seeming failure to surmount them occasions disappointments which do not justify a discouraging conclusion. Influences and conditions will thwart our efforts and the mere fact of having failed in a meritorious undertaking is evidence of having cherished a worthy desire and should encourage us to profit by the experience and use them as a footing for new attempts. Such trials are essential to the development of our Christian life.

Discouragement is the unhappy result of our self-conscious ability to meet the problems of life and in our continual adherence to this belief we are neglecting the only source from which power can be derived that will enable us to conquer. When we realize that our strength is our weakness and get a conception of our relation to God, we shall immediately pass from darkness into the glorious light and shall then declare with David that "the Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?" So in sickness or health, prosperity or adversity, joy or sorrow, "we have but to include the Almighty in faith, and ourselves in fidelity, and let God draw conclusions. He shall not fail nor be discouraged is the divine intention concerning every soul, trustful and true."

Who Dares to Look Up

Conquering discouragements, it must be admitted, is a great task for some lives. Adversity is a foe that presses back with a relentless hand, and those lives that find it hard to conquer their discouragements are apt to give way when adversity presses close. It is pitiful, indeed, to see a man, made in the image of God, endowed with an intellect that—if he would—could place him on a high pinnacle of success, give way with a coward fear that circumstances are too much for him. Do you not often find men who have allowed themselves to be driven back by some sweeping force of circumstance until they reach a sort of listless apathy? From that point they cease to fight, and allow themselves to drift. They may be caught in the eddy, and not drift very far from that point, but it is a very dangerous position. It is so easy to drift, and the ambition to breast the stream is now dead.

If there was no hope held out to such lives as these, our world—I fear—would be made up mostly of failures. But there is a Hope, and many, many men since the beginning of time, have drifted deep—even into the very Slough of Despond—only to find this Hope revived and lifted up to meet, in even fuller measure, the requirements of real manhood.

But surely, such a Hope as this is not found waiting around such lives and trying to show itself to them? No, it will never be found by such a method. The life that finds it must first look up. Hope never lies at your feet. It is high above you, otherwise it could not be hope. It always has something for you to reach out for that is better, and higher than you have yet attained. That soul who dares lift his head and look up will see Hope, and if he reaches out and takes a lively hold he will be led into the sphere where he belongs, and where his Creator intended him to be.

But the soul who dares not, the mind that is closed to conscience, the cringing head that refuses to look up; these need never expect to conquer, but ever be conquered by discouragement.

And you, who have looked up and caught a vision of that Hope which shall forever encourage you, are the only ones of the world through whom the light may shine on dark discouragement.

May this glad Eastertide, when spring is typifying the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, typify also the resurrection of buried thought that shall cause all men everywhere to look up through clouds of discouragement and see Him with outstretched hand, ready and able to help them back to a place in life where they will feel—in the fullest sense—a success.

"I like the man who faces what he must
With step triumphant and a heart of cheer;
Who fights the daily battle without fear;
Sees his hopes fail, yet keeps unfaltering trust
That God is God; that, somehow, true and just
His plans work out for mortals
He alone is great
Who, by a life heroic, conquers fate."

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The Euphians, a Sunday school class of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, will have charge of the Vesper services at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. There will be special music, and a cordial invitation is given all the young ladies of the city to attend.

HISTORIES OF COUNTIES NEED FOR N. CAROLINA

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the Wilmington Star. This history of the county, as a whole, was however never published.

North Carolina is made up of exactly one hundred counties, I believe. Yet it would appear that adequate histories of less than 20 of these counties only have been written, (barring the chapters in "Wheeler's Sketches," which constitute simply chapters in the history of the State, now, of course, quite out of date). I have recently been interested in comparing the record of North Carolina with that of Illinois. The State of Illinois, which was not admitted to the Union until 1818, is composed of one hundred and two counties. Every single county in the State has had at least one history written about it! And some of them have had several. Think of what that means to the historian, who would write a history of Illinois! Think of the invaluable information afforded by these county histories, pertaining as they do to the life of the people in every nook and corner of the State!

Three things are urgently needed in North Carolina, in order to facilitate and stimulate the writing of the histories of the 75 and more counties which remain unwritten. First, a systematic and scientific survey of the county archives and records in every county seat in the State, conducted by a trained historical expert, followed by an exhaustive report on the same. Second, the preparation of a bulletin to be distributed broadcast throughout the State, outlining the best plan sanctioned by modern usage for the ideal county history, describing in full and various types of materials and sources of materials, and making suggestions for the benefit of the investigator as to the best means of reaching and properly utilizing these materials. Third, the preparation and publication of a check list of the North Carolina newspapers preserved in the State library, the University library, and the Trinity College library. The first and second of these needed steps were fully discussed and formally endorsed by the State Literary and Historical Association at its last meeting. The first and third are recommended by Mr. R. D. W. Conner, in his recent report as secretary of the North Carolina Historical Commission.

The State Literary and Historical Association is working in the interest of all the people in the State. At its last meeting, it definitely went on record in support of the movement in behalf of a survey of the county archives of the State. The work outlined is "the work of advising with municipal and county officials relative to the proper care, arrangement, and preservation of the public archives and records in their charge, and of making such records and archives accessible for historical purposes."

With the co-operation of individual investigators, local historical societies, collectors of North Caroliniana, the professors of history in our higher institutions, and editors of historical publications, I feel sure that a great work for North Carolina can be accomplished. This constructive work, I believe to be the sort of work that the State Literary and Historical Association should do, in the interest of all the people of the State. And it has been under the inspiration of such a belief that I have inaugurated this movement, and that I now issue this letter.

ARCHIBLAD HENDERSON
Chapel, Hill, N. C., March 26, 1915.

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Text of the Lesson, I Sam. xvi, 4-13. Memory Verses, 12, 13—Golden Text, I Sam. xvi, 7—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

It is certainly restful to be in the hands of Him who worketh all things after the counsel of His own will (Eph. i, 11) and who says, "I will work, and who shall let it" (hinder, or turn back) (Isa. xliii, 13), provided we have no will of our own in the matter. Even Samuel seems not to have been fully one with the Lord concerning Saul, for he continued to mourn for him after the Lord had rejected him, so that the Lord had to say to him, "How long wilt thou mourn for Saul, seeing I have rejected him from reigning over Israel?" When we can say, "Even so, Father," "Just and true are thy ways," because we are certain that "As for God, His way is perfect" (Matt. xi, 26; Rev. xv, 3; Ps. viii, 30), we have entered upon a restful life. Then its continuance depends upon our living in the perfect will of God moment by moment. Note the messages to Samuel in verses 1-3: "I will send thee to Jesse. I have provided me a king. I will show thee what thou shalt do. Anoint unto Me him whom I name unto thee." This left nothing for Samuel but simple obedience to Him who was managing.

But Samuel had an objection, "If Saul hear it he will kill me." The Lord quieted him, and matters proceeded, and Samuel did that which the Lord spake and came to Bethlehem to meet Jesse and his sons (verses 4, 5). The elders of the town seemed to regard Samuel almost as God Himself or they must have had very guilty consciences, for they trembled at his coming until assured that he came peaceably. Those who are walking with God need have no fear of a visit from a man of God nor of the coming of the Lord Himself, for it is possible so to abide that we shall not be ashamed before Him at His coming (I John ii, 28). Having called Jesse and his sons, Samuel thought that he saw in Eliab a fit successor to Saul, but the Lord told him not to look on his outward appearance (verses 6, 7). When we consider Eliab's contemptuous and uncalled for treatment of David a little later (xvii, 28) we do not wonder that the Lord refused him, for He knew what was in man (John ii, 25). Seven of Jesse's sons passed before Samuel, all who had come to meet him, but the Lord's choice was not among them, so that Samuel had to ask, "Are here all thy children?" Then he learned that the youngest had been left at home to keep the sheep, and Samuel said, "Send and fetch him, for we will not sit down till he come hither" (verses 8-11).

I am interested to know how David felt that day when left at home and all the other brothers went to meet Samuel, for, knowing what we do of David, we can easily imagine that he would be more desirous to meet Samuel than any of his brothers would, even though there might be nothing especially for him in it. Some day in the kingdom we may talk with him about that particular day. I never read or write this story or think about it that I do not rejoice to see the Lord's way in it. The young man left at home because he was seemingly of no account on this great occasion, and then all the older brothers set aside and compelled to wait till he came, and then to see Samuel take the horn of oil and anoint him in the midst of his brethren.

I think I can hear Eliab say to some of his brothers as they went homeward, "The old prophet must be in his dotage." There is nothing to it, for they did not hear the Lord say to Samuel, "Arise, anoint him, for this is he" (verses 12, 13). The comfort I get from it is that the Lord looketh on the heart, not on the outward appearance, and when he wants you for any work He will find you and get you there in spite of all obstacles. It is ours to keep quietly on minding our sheep, like David or Moses; thrashing our wheat, like Gideon; plowing, like Elisha; doing housework, like Mary of Nazareth; mending nets, like Peter and John, or whatever else is our regular occupation. The Spirit of the Lord came upon David, but departed from Saul because of Saul's failure to obey (13, 14). God allows us to choose, and if we choose the evil and not the good we have no one to blame but ourselves.

By the advice of Saul's servants he sought some one to quiet him when the evil spirit was upon him, and they recommended David, the son of Jesse, as a cunning player on the harp, a valiant man of war, a prudent man, a comely man, and they also said that the Lord was with him (verses 15-23). Being sent for, Saul loved him greatly and made him his armor bearer. How strange it all seems! God moves in a mysterious way. What a wonderful chapter! How can we refrain from saying, "Lord, take control of me and all my affairs and work out in and through me all thy good pleasure." It would seem that Jesse was an old man at this time, and his family consisted of eight sons and two daughters (xvii, 12; I Chron. ii, 16), but David's mother's name is not given.

The whole story is an illustration of the truth of Eph. ii, 10, that God has the life and service of His redeemed all planned beforehand and will work it out if we will let Him. See Jer. i, 4-9.

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All costs and expenses lawfully incurred and a proper charge in this proceeding will be added to the amount due for taxes aforesaid.

CHAS. H. WHITE,
Tax Collector.

Name	Description	Blk	Tax and Cost
Addison, Emily—n e ¼ 3		223	25.30
Albro, Louis—e m pt 4		498	8.80
Albro, Sarah—s e ¼ 5		541	5.60
Alderman, Allison—m pt 1 2 M pt 1 2		213	18.50
Alexander, W. F.—E ½ 2		297	12.30
Alston, Fred W.—S w ¼ 2		309	10.30
Andrews, A. J.—N e 1-8 1 S w 6		541	7.00
Applewhite, J. A.—n e pt 4		77	30.80
Arnold, O. H.—e pt 5		518	23.50
Austin, J. J.—w 1 N e ¼ 3		238	30.00
Austin, Julia—e m 2		134	6.80
Allen, Mary—s w ¼ 5		518	1.80
Badham, Ida H.—n e 1-8 5		349	7.30
Barfield, Rosa—e m 1		347	5.30
Barker, Rosa L.—m pt 6		90	26.10
Barnett, Mary E.—W 3-4 2		104	29.30
Batson, Annie—pt 5		122	5.80
Batson, Mrs. T. A.—n e ¼ 5		104	22.30
Batson, W. S.—Love Grove		5	6.30
Batts, John—n w ¼ 5 s w ¼ 2		540	15.80
Beach, A. J.—pt e end 1		88	22.30
Bell, Mary E.—E ¼ 5		65	8.30
Bellamy, J. D. & Adams—W m 1		307	17.30
Benson, D. L.—W pt 5 6		537	16.30
Benson, hrs. Isabella—s e pt 4		354	5.80
Berry, Annie T.—w 5		239	5.80
Best, Chancey—e 6 pt 5		527	5.60
Biddle, hrs. Julia—w pt 1 2 3		78	19.30
Biddle, Mrs. Rebecca—E end 1 pt 2 3		38	13.30
Biggs, hrs. Amos—e 1 2		92	15.80
Bishop, Elizabeth—m 1 2		238	19.30
Bishop, Ephram—w m 4 5		243	18.80
Bishop, Mrs. Jasper—w m 1 2		145	17.30
Bizzell, R. D.—e 4 5 E ½ 6		147	
S e pt 2		496	
Blake, J. F.w pt 3		148	37.70
Blake, W. H.—e end 2 W ½ 1 2		550	1.80
Blocker, Jas. H.—pt 1 2		550	13.00
Blocker, Jas. S.—w ½ 1		34	10.80
Blocker, Mary Ann—e m 3 4 5		337	13.60
Blocker, Mary E.—n e ¼ 3		67	6.30
Blossom, Sam—pt 1 2 3 E m 3 4		541	5.80
Blount, Fanny C.—e m 1 2 5 E m 3 4		186	
Boone, L. L.—W 4 W ½ 6		295	29.00
Boone, Thomas—m 5 6 W ½ 6		229	
Bordeaux, Henry—s w ¼ 4		175	16.00
Borneman, Mrs. Bertha—E 3-4 1		197	68.30
Bowden, Annie E.—e end 5 6		98	
Bowden, David—pt s e 4		583	10.30
Bowden, hrs. Sarah C.—w 5		572	6.30
Bowen, Martha—e 4 5		66	25.30
Boylan, D. D.—n e 2		271	68.80
Boylan & Hancock—w m 1		181	53.80
Boylan, J. E.—w end 1 2		281	25.30
Bradley, Jno. A.—s w ½ 2		32	58.80
Brady, Sarah J.—w m 1 M 1		185	26.30
Branch, Jordan—e 6		308	18.10
Branch, Jordan, trust.—w pt 2		91	
Brantley, J. D.—e end 6 pt 5		47	21.50
Brenner, Mrs. Lizzie C.—e m 1		573	10.90
Brinkley, hrs. Thos.—w 1		568	1.80
Brittian, A. G.—n w ¼ 2		11	15.30
Brooks, Jas.—w end 2 3		211	15.30
Brothers, J. A.—s e ¼ 4		470	7.30
Brown, Amelia—lot 21		117	15.30
Brown, A. L.—w ½ 2		522	2.30
Brown, Geo. W.—w m 5		266	9.30
Brown, Gilbert W.—e pt 2		271	6.80
Brown, Hannah R.—w m 1		241	26.30
Brown, Jno.—pt w end 1		310	7.30
Brown, Jno. W.—n w ¼ 4		40	4.50
Brown, Joseph F.—s e ¼ 4		70	3.30
Brown, Jno. W.—n e ¼ 1		136	7.30
Brown, Lena—e ½ 3		549	3.80
Brown, Moses, Jr.—w m 1		253	5.30
Brown, Moses, Sr.—e end 1		136	4.30
Brown, hrs. Wm.—e m 1 2 3		136	8.80
Brounnell, hrs. Thos.—3-4 pt 6		39	7.80
Bryant, Chas. L.—s e pt 6		36	11.30
Bryant, David—w m 6 Pt e end 6		94	16.80
E m 1 2		522	
Bryant, Hannah—pt w 3		93	28.70
Bryant, Wm—n w ¼ 1		186	6.80
Bunting, J. Hicks—n e 1		494	12.50
Burgwyn, Chas.—e m 1		190	357.30
Burke, Wm. H.—pt 1 2		40	4.30
Burnett, Allison—s w 1-8 3		256	10.80
Burnett, C. S.—All		119	10.30
Burnett, J. T.—w m 1		8	115.30
Burriss, Betty E.—s e ¼ 3		211	14.80
Busch, Jas.—w m 1		253	5.30
Burton, E. T.—n e 1-8 6		38	8.80
Byrd, hrs. Richard—e 1 2		522	4.30
Bagg, Miss M. E. & B. P.—S w 2		338	5.80
Brooks, Jane A.—pt 3		183	41.80
Brown, Mrs. Alberta—w pt 1		84	5.30
Barber, J. T.—e m 5 6		18	5.30
Campbell, Thos.—m 1 2		20	4.80
Canady, J. S.—s w ¼ 3		70	3.80
Carnes, G. D.—s w 6 N w 3		54	13.30
Carney, J. G.—e end 1		69	
Carr, Wm.—e 5 pt 4		93	20.50
Carroll, Jas.—e end 5 6 w pt 2 3		89	20.80
Carter, Mrs. Eva L.—pt m 1 2		162	12.60
Carter, L. J.—e m 4 5 6 E m 1 2		498	
N e pt 5		503	9.00
N w ¼ 4 pt 3		73	45.30
Cleapor, Mary—pt e 6		506	
Clemmons, J. J. Jr.—w m 1		70	
Clinton, F. J.—e end 1		268	
Clinton, H. L.—pt 1 2		294	24.90
Clinton, J. S.—e ¼ 4		195	15.30
Clinton, Mildred—m 1-8 3		118	14.40
Collins, Maggie E.—e m 1		493	10.30
Collins, W. H.—w m 4 5		498	5.80
Conner, Mary A.—s e 1 e m 1		9	3.30
Cotton, W. H.—pt e m 6		281	8.30
Council, Fred—s w ¼ 2		225	15.30
Cowan, Hattie—w m 4 5		327	7.30
Cowan, J. L.—w m 6 E ½ 5 6		24	6.80
Cowan, Maria—s w ¼ 3		60	11.30
Crandell, Jerry—n e ¼ 5		9	9.30
Croom, Isabell—w m 2		9	9.30
Croom, M. H.—w m 6		68	
Croom, Virginia M.—w ½ 1		42	8.70
Crowley, L. J.—e ¼ 5		137	5.80
Corbett, Mrs. Maud H.—		149	6.80
		349	6.80
		74	31.30
		31	4.30
		78	8.30

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Chappell, Kate C.—e m 1 2 3		187	71.30
Cranmer, E. H. ,trust—m 5 6		84	3.80
Chadwick, Mrs. Helen—pt e 6		86	13.80
Chadwick, D. N.—w m 3 4 5		172	49.30
Daniel, Joe—e pt 3 4		572	8.30
Davis, Anthony—s w ¼ 4		540	5.30
Davis, Cannie E.—e end 3		197	26.20
Davis, hrs. Charlotte—s w ¼ 1		45	13.80
Davis, hrs. Elsie—s w ¼ 4		83	3.80
Davis, Emma H.—w end ¼ 3 S e ¼ 4		208	11.50
Davis, Fred—s w 1-8 4		284	4.80
Davis, John—s w pt 6 E ¼ 4		523	7.50
Davis, hrs. Jno. H.—e m 1 2		56	9.30
Davis, Lucy—n e ¼ 2		119	7.30
Davis, Lucy—n w pt 5		226	5.30
Davis, Louis H.—s e ¼ 4		88	5.30
Davis, hrs. Maggie C.—e 6		118	8.30
DeVane, hrs. Frank—N e 1-8 5 s e 4		63	12.30
Dixon, Chas.—w 5 6		106	7.30
Dixon, H. L.—n e pt 4		97	13.80
Dock, A. A.—w ½ 2		117	41.80
Donaldson, Jas.—n w ¼ 3		104	9.30
Donaldson, Mills—e 1		494	19.30
Dry, Wm.—n e ¼ 3		239	4.30
Duncan, W. P.—e m 5 6		540	15.80
Dunn, Mrs. B. R.—w 5		52	62.30
Dunstan, Priscilla—s e ¼ 5		184	2.80
Dunstan, Louisa—w end 2		7	6.30
Davis, Dan'l M.—w ¼ 3 W ½ 2		20	24.80
Dollar, Mrs. Susie D.—e ½ 1 W ½ 2		117	39.80
Eagles, Lucy A.—n w ¼ 3		35	
Eakins, Ella N.—pt 2		67	5.80
Edens, Maggie—w pt 3		19	14.80
Edwards, Henry—s e ¼ 3		90	13.30
Edwards, Thomas—e m 1 pt 2 W 5 N e 4 Lot 1 & 2 Loves Grove		186	7.80
Elkins, J. B.—n e pt 3		25	
Elkins, hrs. York—e ½ 5 S w 5		295	29.90
Elmore, J. R.—n w ¼ 5		321	25.30
Emnett, W. T.—w end 5		3	
Evans, Annie—n w ¼ 3		4	19.50
Evans, Edward—s e 1-8 1		265	19.80
Evans, J. R.—pt w 2 3		206	13.30
Evans, Louzelia—w m 5		40	5.30
Evans, Moses—e 1 2		502	5.00
Everett, Josephine—pt e m 1 2		503	5.30
Everett, Stanley—pt 5 6		256	6.30
Evans, C. N.—m 1 2 3		106	14.30
Farrow, G. A.—w end 1		309	2.30
Fergest, Jno.—w pt 3 4 5		84	4.80
Fillyaw, hrs. D. L.—e ½ 2		160	74.80
Fleet, Mrs. M. M.—n w 1		50	8.30
Flynn, Mrs. Mary B.—e m 6		229	7.80
Flynn, W. J.—e pt 5 6		191	55.30
Foard, Mrs. C. D.—e 2 W end 1 2 3		104	34.80
Fonville, Benj.—e 1		195	41.30
Fonville, hrs. Lucinda—m 1		117	35.30
Frank, Lewis—Lot 9		168	
Freeman, Mrs. Mary B.—n e 5		487	99.00
Fryar, R. L.—pt 3 Pt ½ 3		269	9.80
Furlong, J. J.—e pt 2 3 M pt 1 2 3 1-8 int. w 6 S e m 1-8 5 S ½ 4		272	7.30
Fonville, Emma—Lot 11		11	4.00
Gaither, Fannie—e 1		84	5.30
Galloway, W. A.—w m 1 2		69	4.90
Garrison, A. D.—s e 2		324	7.30
Gaskill, J. W.—n w ¼ 3		502	6.50
Gause, Edward—e m 2 3		503	9.00
Gause, E. S.—pt w 1 E end 4 5		69	
Gause, John—s w end 2		69	
Gause, hrs. Lucretia—n e 2		69	
Gause, Rosa—e m 5		69	
Gay, hrs. Amanda—s e ¼ 4		69	
Genaust, Mrs. Marie—w 1 2		69	
Germania Mfg. Co.—All All		69	
Glover, S. H.—n e 1		69	
Gore, Bruce—w 1 2 Pt 2 3		69	
Grady, John—Lot 1		69	
Grady, Z. A.—n w pt 6		69	
Graham, Lula—m pt 1		69	
Green, B. G.—e pt 2		69	
Green, E. M.—s e ¼ 4 N end 1 N w ¼ 2 N w end 1 W end 1 E m 5 6 W 1 e 1 2 S w ¼ 2 w ½ 3		69	
Green, Edward G.—n e pt 3		69	
Green, Hector—n w ¼ 5 6		69	
Green, hrs. Louisa—pt 3 2		69	
Green, Navy—n w ¼ 4		69	
Griffin, Lucy—w 3		69	
Griffin, M. J.—w pt ¼ 3 N w pt 1		69	
Grotgen, Mrs. T. E.—w m 5 6		69	
Guthrie, Mrs. Fanny—e pt 6		69	
Greenwald, Essie—e m 5 6		69	
Haas, Jacob—w m 4 5		69	
Hatfield, Fanny—w m 1 2		69	
Hall, Albert—w m 1		69	
Hall, hrs. Jas. A.—s w ¼ 2		69	
Hall, John H.—n e 1		69	
Hall, Mary—m 1		69	
Hall, Mary C.—All 2		69	
Hall, Mary E.—e 3 4 5		69	
Hall, O. D.—s w ¼ 2		69	
Hall, Richard—s w 1 n e 6		69	
Hall, Sadie—pt w end 5		69	
Hall, Virginius—w end 1 pt 2		69	
Hall, W. T.—s e ¼ 5		69	
Haley, Andrew—e m 3 4		69	
Hanby, L. L.—w ½ 2 Pt m 4 5 E pt 3 4 S e pt 2		69	
Hancock, E. T.—w 1 2 3 s e 3		69	
Hand, Jere—pt w 2 3		69	
Haney, I. W.—w m 4 5		69	
Haney, M. M.—m 5 6 pt 5		69	
Hankins, Carrie D.—n e ¼ 4		69	
Hanks, Wm—n w ¼ 3		69	
Hanover Realty Co.—lt 11 12		69	
Harper, Mary A.—w m 1 2		69	
Harrell, Jas.—e m pt 1		69	
Haskett, Jessie H.—n w 3		69	
Hatch, J. E.—e 6		69	
Hawkins, Louis—n e ¼ 4		69	
Hawkins, hrs. Sallie—w pt 6		69	
Hayden, Mrs. M. A.—e ½ 2		69	
Henderson, Rebecca—w ½ 6		69	
Henderson, hrs. Thomas—n e 2		69	
Henry, Charity—m 4 5 6 All 1 2 S e ¼ 4 W 5 6		69	
Henry, Susan—w 5		69	
Hill, hrs. Allen—e m 4		69	
Hill, Buck—pt 4 E 3		69	
Hill, Chas. H.—w pt 2		69	
Hill, Jno. W.—pt e end 4		69	
Hill, Louis T.—n e ¼ 3		69	
Hill, Mamie—s w 1-8 2		69	
Hill, M. H.—s w ½ 2 E m 1 Pt w 1		69	
Hill, Mary M.—w m 5 W m pt 5		69	
Hines, David R.—e m 5 6		69	
Hines, Ira A.—w ½ 3		69	
Hines, hrs. Samuel—n w ¼ 4		69	

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Hodges, R. W.—m 3 4 5		159	32.30
Holland, J. M.—e 1		321	15.50
Hollingsworth, hrs. L. H.—W 1 E 1 2 S ½ 2		224	
Hollingsworth, Salah L.—E ½ 3		306	
Holloway, Catherine—w 3		263	80.70
Holmes, Francis C.—e m 1		282	15.30
Holmes, hrs. Gabriel—w 3 4		294	4.30
Hooper, John—w m 3 4		193	112.80
Hooper, hrs. John—s e ¼ 2		325	4.80
Hooper, hrs. Julia—e m 4 5		23	11.80
Hooper, Therisa—e m 5		187	12.30
Hooper, Thomas—w m 3 4 N w ¼ 2 Pt 4 5 W m pt 5 6 W ¼ 4		349	5.80
Houston, B. H.—s e 2		325	
Houston, Carrie P.—e end 4		237	
Howard, Andrew—n w ¼ 4		58	
Howard, hrs. D. L.—w ¼ 3		194	72.30
Howe, Ida—n e 4		59	13.30
Howard, Jas. E.—s e end 1 2		19	3.80
Howard, Joe—Love Grove		209	35.30
Howard, Lizzie—e m 6		34	10.80
Howe, Adrian—w 5 6		34	9.80
Howe, Joseph A.—pt 5		4	5.50
Howe, Mary E.—n w 1-8 2		82	7.80
Huband, C. H.—w m pt 6		67	9.30
Hudson, H. J.—m pt 5 6		328	8.80
Hughes, B. F.—e m 1 2		211	2.30
Hughes, Isabelle—n w 2		90	10.30
Hurst, Wm.—m 1 2 pt 3		494	10.30
Hewlett, Mrs. Martha S.—W pt 1		488	16.30
Haas, Lucretia—w 4 5		117	32.80
Isler, Rachel—e m 5 6		347	16.30
Ittner, J. G.—m 1 2 3		503	2.80
Jackson, Ida M.—e m 1 2		489	55.30
Jackson, Mary F.—e 2 3		104	53.30
Jackson, hrs. W. H.—m 1		186	43.80
Jacobs, Moses—n e ¼ 2		33	4.80
James, W. Henry—e end 1		536	7.30
Jarman, R. H.—pt 2		37	13.30
Jennings, Ben—w m 3 4		210	30.90
Jewell, K. W.—e m 1		304	4.30
Jewell, Mary A.—e end 6		90	19.80
Johnson, Alex.—s e ¼ 3		90	23.30
Johnson, C. H.—s e ¼ 3 Lot 4		55	19.30
Johnson, Dandy—w 1 E 1		255	
Johnson, Geo. T.—s w ¼ 4		5	9.00
Johnson, Hannah A.—e 3 4		309	
Johnson, J. G.—pt 1 2 3		277	17.70
Johnson, hrs. J. M.—s w pt 3		235	98.30
Johnson, Lucius—pt e end 5		262	9.30
Johnson, Mrs. Mary—w 3 M 3 4 Pt 3 4		487	32.80
Johnson, Phoebe—m 6 N e ¼ 3		310	5.30
Jones, Albert—e m 1 2		239	21.30
Jones, A. L.—m 5 6		173	
Jones, Elijah—m 3 4		139	
Jones, Frank—e 1 2		271	76.70
Jones, hrs. Hardy—e ½ 4 5		4	
Jones, H. L.—n w ¼ 1		32	5.50
Jones, John—e 1 2		22	7.30
Jones, J. J.—e pt 1 M 2 3 4 S w ¼ 3 Pt e 6 S w pt 6		554	8.90
Jones, John S.—e 5		161	8.30
Jones, Moses—s e 6 6½		241	12.30
Joy, Jas.—n e 2 3 W m 5 S e ¼ 2		586	7.30
Judge, Willie—m 1		27	9.80
Johnson, Mrs. A. M.—w 4		34	5.30
Kay, J. W.—w end		360	
Keithley, M. Ed—w end 5		242	
Kelly, Chas.—e 5		503	12.00
Kelly, hrs. W. H.—s e ¼ 4		27	5.30
Kennedy, J. L.—s e ¼ 4		27	5.30
Kennedy, L. D.—w pt 4 E m 4 5 E 2 S w ¼ 4 E end 1 2		511	5.30
Kerr, E. A.—s e pt 5		36	18.10
Kidd, Mrs. H. L.—w ½ 1 2		324	8.80
King & Seigler—e m 5 6 S w ¼ 2 pt 3		92	19.80
King, B. F., Jr.—m 1 pt 2		502	2.30
King, J. P.—n w pt 4 5		502	2.30
King, W. W., jr.—M 5		502	14.50
Kirkham, W. J.—e m 1 2 pt 3		6	3.30
Klander, W. B.—pt 5 6		237	7.30
Knox, Ed—n e 6 pt 5		240	10.30
Koch, W. W.—n e 1		502	2.30
Korb, C. W. B.—s e pt 2		502	2.30
Krahnke, F. H.—w pt 1 W ½ 3 N e ¼ 4		502	2.30
King, Mrs. Rebecca—W 2 3 pt 4		502	2.30
Landing, Frank—e m 1		502	2.30
Lane, Albert—s e pt 6		502	2.30
Lane, Jas.—w m 1 W m 3		502	2.30
Lane, Robt. H.—n w 1-8 2		502	2.30
Larkins, Sargent—e m 2 3		502	2.30
Lawrimore, P. W.—s e ¼ 5		502	2.30
Lawson, Ezra—lot 11		502	2.30
Lawson, Virgal—Lot 10		502	2.30
Lawton, Miss F. V.—pt 1 2		502	2.30
LeBoo, hrs. Andrew—n e 1		502	2.30
LeBoo, Eliza—w end 6		502	2.30
LeBoo, Lillian A.—n w ¼ 4		502	2.30
Lee, Jno. W.—pt 1 em 1		502	2.30
Leonard, Geo.—s w ¼ 5		502	2.30
Leonard, Mary A.—W 1 N e ¼ 5		502	2.30
Lewis, Martha—½ int. e m 1		502	2.30
Lewis, Rosa—½ int. e m 1		502	2.30
Lewis, Robt. B.—e m 5		502	2.30
Lilly, Miss Kate B.—w 1 2 3		502	2.30
Linquist, Mrs. S. A.—w ½ 2		502	2.30
Little, W. D.—m 1		502	2.30
Livingston, hrs. Harriett—E end 1 2		502	2.30
Livingston, Samuel—s e ¼ 4 W ½ 4		502	2.30
Lloyd, Belle B.—Lots 15 & 16		502	2.30
Lloyd, B. C.—Lots 2 3		502	2.30
Loftin, E. M.—e end 6		502	2.30
Loftin, Green—n e 2 Pt w end 6		502	2.30
Loftin, J. H.—n w ¼ 6		502	2.30
Loftin, Major—w pt 3		502	2.30
Loftin, Thomas—n e ¼ 3		502	2.30
Loftin, Wright—e pt 2 3		502	2.30
Loftin, hrs. W. H.—w m 1 2 3		502	2.30
Long, Minnie A.—n e ¼ 5		502	2.30
Lovich, hrs. T. H.—s w ¼ 2		502	2.30
Lowe, J. F.—s e ¼ 5		502	2.30
LeBoo, Eliza—e pt 1 2		502	2.30
Mack, Jno. H.—w end 6		502	2.30
Mack, W. H.—Lot 9		502	2.30
Mallett, Jno. E.—e m 1		502	2.30
Malletf, Wm. P.—e 1		502	2.30
Manly, Carolina S.—s e e m 3		502	2.30
Man, Edna—e m 5 Pt 1		502	2.30
Martin, Jas. E.—n e 3		502	2.30
Martin, R. H.—w m 1 2		502	2.30
Mask & Taylor—W pt 3 4 m 5 6 E 1 2 3 4 5 W 1 2 3 4 5 All pt 2 W 5 6		502	2.30
Mask, Carrie T.—e 1 2 S e ¼ 3		502	2.30

Name	Description	Blk	Tax and Cost
E end 6 pt 5		105	
Pt 1		498	98.90
Mask, hrs. T. R.—e m 1 E 1 S w ¼ 6 M 5 All 3 pt 4		89	
Matthews, E. L.—w 4 5 Pt 4 5		210	
Matthews, Jas. R.—s w 1-8 4		119	
Mathis, J. T.—pt e 5		224	
Matthews, S. A.—m pt 1 2		238	152.60
Meares, hrs. Betsy—w ½ 1		329	
Merrick, Caroline—n e 5		40	12.30
Merrick, Margaret E.—e m 5		261	20.50
Merrick, Phoebe—e end 3		241	9.80
Merrick, Sarah A.—s w pt 1		499	5.80
Merrick, hrs. W. H.—m 5 6		292	15.80
Merritt, B. K.—e m 5		73	25.30
Metropolitan Trust Co.—e 1 2		261	9.30
Miller, E. B.—Lot 8		241	9.30
Miller, Hardy—pt e m 5		101	22.30
Miller, Mary J.—e end 5		306	12.30
Mills, G. W.—w pt 2 3		502	9.30
Mills, Mrs. L., A. H. Jewell & Ward, Lukes—M 1 2 3 pt 4		502	4.30
Milton, Nobles—s e 4 All 4		187	12.30
Mintz, F. L.—s w 4		187	12.30
Mintz, S. H.—w ½ 5		187	12.30
Mitchell, J. W.—pt w end 6		187	12.30
Moore, Henry—n e pt 6		187	12.30
Moore, Henry H.—w 2 3		187	12.30
Moore, Jackson P.—w 5		187	12.30
Moore, John A.—s e 4		187	12.30
Moore, J. C.—n w ¼ 5		187	12.30
Moore, John J.—s e ¼ 3 Pt w 3-4 4		187	12.30
Moore, J. W.—pt w m 1 M 5		187	12.30
Morrison, Mrs. W. R. N w ¼ 2		187	12.30
Moseley, Emanuel—pt 4 5		187	12.30
Moseley, hrs. July—w 1 2		187	12.30
Murphy, Jane—w pt 4		187	12.30
Murray, G. W.—w m 5		187	12.30
Murray, Julius A.—e m 6		187	12.30
Murray, R. M.—w 5 w m 4		187	12.30
Murrell, Martin—n e ¼ 4		187	12.30
Murrell, W. W.—pt 6 W ½ 3		187	12.30
Murrell, Z. E.—e 2 E 3		187	12.30
Mercer, Mrs. A. J.—½ int. e m 5		187	12.30
Middleton, Mamie—w pt 5 6		187	12.30
Meares, Milly—w m 1-8 4		187	12.30
McAllister, T. F.—e pt 2		187	12.30
McCartney, H. J.—n e 5		187	12.30
McCartney, J. C.—n e ¼ 5		187	12.30
McClammy, Wilson—pt e 1		187	12.30
McCulloch, Laura—e m 5 6		187	12.30
McDonald, Rebecca J., adm—All 3 4 e 6		187	12.30
McFarland, Jas—n e ¼ 2		187	12.30
McIntyre, A.—n w pt 5		187	12.30
McIntyre, Wm.—e 5 6		187	12.30
McKenzie, E. V.—w n w 1		187	12.30
McKoy, Eliza—e m 1 2		187	12.30
McLaughlin, Zepp—n e ¼ 3 4		187	12.30
McLaughlin, Robt.—lot 14 M 5 6		187	12.30
McLean, Scott—Lot 13		187	12.30
McMillan, Mamie—w pt 5 6		187	12.30
McMillan, S. G.—n e pt 5		187	12.30
McMillan—W. G. Jr.—w m 3 E 3 4 E m 4 5 E 4 5 W. m 1 W ½ 5 W m 5 6		187	12.30
McMillan, Wm.—e m 6 S. w 2		187	12.30
McMillan, Wesley—n w ¼ 3		187	12.30
McNeil, Jas.—s w 1		187	12.30
McNeil, hrs. Jeffry—e m 1 2		187	12.30
McNeil, Washington—m 1		187	12.30
McQueen, Ella—e m 5		187	12.30
McRae, Janett—w m 5		187	12.30
McDonald, Thos.—pt 3 4 5		187	12.30
McMillan, Lena—e 3 4 5		187	12.30
McKoy, W. B.—e 1		187	12.30
Nash, Lucy M.—e m 1 2 M e pt 2		187	12.30
Neal, Jas.—w m pt 5		187	12.30
Nelson, Josephine—Lot 26		187	12.30
Nelson, Stephen—m 3 4 5		187	12.30
New, L. T.—e m 1		187	12.30
Newkirk, M. D.—s w ¼ 2		187	12.30
Newkirk, Mrs. T. R.—pt 1		187	12.30
Newton, G. T.—m 4 5 6		187	12.30
Nixon, Bertha—pt 1		187	12.30
Nixon, Dora—w pt 3 4 5		187	12.30
Nixon, Julius—n w ½ 3		187	12.30
Nixon, Nick—s w ¼ 3		187	12.30
Nixon, Robert—s e ¼ 2 Pt 3 4		187	12.30
Norfleet, E., trust—1 2 E end 6 pt 5		187	12.30
Norman, Henry—pt w 2 3		187	12.30
Norman, Jane—n w pt 5		187	12.30
Noyes, Walter—e m 4 5		187	12.30
Onslow, Jacob—e end 3 4 5		187	12.30
Osment, Mrs. Fairy—e 6		187	12.30
Padrick, Evy J.—s e 5		187	12.30
Parker, Ben—pt n w 2 W end 1 pt 5		187	12.30
Peaden, Mildred G.—s w ¼ 4		187	12.30
Penny, Geo. W.—n e ¼ 2		187	12.30
Penny, W. F.—w m 1 2		187	12.30
Phillips, Jno. S.—s w 1 2		187	12.30
Phillips, hrs. Lizzie—e m 5		187	12.30
Phillips, Maggie E.—e 1		187	12.30
Price, Geo.—

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WITH THE MAN IN THE STREET

When the World Wakes Up—Did you know that, in the city at least, the morning song of the waking world is sung by a chorus of English sparrows—noisy gamins of the streets? It is.

It has been said, and truthfully, that the darkest hour is that just preceding the dawn. It is also the most silent. Then the stars have paled, and the moon is only a silver shadow against an opaque sky. The last belated night hawk hack has rattled off to rest, and the streets stretch away, bare and deserted, save here and there where a lone policeman paces his solitary beat. Supreme quiet reigns, and what an awesome quiet it is. The sleeping world seems to have even ceased to breathe; the very pulse beats of the universe appear to have halted and even time and space are things remote—unreal.

And then, off in the east, so gently and gradually that you never realize the exact moment that total darkness has ceased to be, there appears a shadow of light. Pale and almost imperceptible at first, it grows in strength; softly the shadows of night merge into nothingness; faintly the outline of a horizon forms in the distance, and the clouds above begin to take on a rose colored glow.

'Tis then the world wakes up. From somewhere out in space that a few moments ago did not seem to exist, there comes the sleepy chirp of a sparrow; afar, and almost out of hearing another answers, and then another. One by one they take up the chorus, the volume of their chirping grows and grows until, because of the absolute silence preceding, it seems to fill the world.

The bugles of the dawn have broken the vigil of the night; from somewhere out in the distance comes the rattle of the first milk wagon making its rounds; a little later the distant drone of an early trolley car—another day has begun.

Why?—He came into the city unannounced, though he was not slow in announcing himself to those living at the house where he put up. He was a preacher, so he said; also he was a singer of some ability, this he also said. His hair was long, and so was his wind, and he recounted at length on the sorrows of being a widower, and of his ability to write verse after verse of poetry on the subject of lovely woman. His appearance was not much, in fact, one male member of the household went so far as to say he was scrawny looking. And when it was suggested to him that he pay his board in advance he took himself elsewhere.

Yet the maidens of the household made much over him. In fact, one afternoon during his short stay there, seated in the parlor, he cheerfully remarked that he had nothing to do that afternoon but stay in the house and read.

"I haven't either," naively breathed one of the soulful young things in an adjoining chair.

Why?

Was it because he was a preacher?

Sympathetic—From Judge G. W. Bornemann's office, down on Princess street, one afternoon the past week, came the strains of "Darling, I Am Growing Old." The judge was singing, accompanying himself on his famous accordeon—and the volume of the music overflowed the little office and ebbed out into the open street in waves of windy harmony.

Came a dog, trotting along the street, and caught in the current of the judge's art, he paused, with ears cocked askew, to listen. The subtle sadness of the old ballad, as the judge bore down on the minors, touched his sympathetic soul, and pointing his nose at the sky, he lifted up his voice and bayed a weird and mournful accompaniment. Passers-by paused to listen, caught the gentle humor of the incident, and passed on with a smile.

Consistency — "I believe in calling things by their right names, and I do not believe that a thing is bad simply because of its associations," said a minister not long ago. "I do not think that one thing can be labeled vice and something else of the same kind but named differently, can be said to be virtuous. Call a spade a spade and an ace an ace."

Seeing that those who were listening did not catch his meaning exactly, he gave a concrete illustration of what he meant.

"I do not understand why so many people abhor playing cards and yet they do not seem to mind at all spending half the night playing a game of rook. So far as my observation goes, there is absolutely no difference between rook and several of the games played with ordinary cards, except that they have different kinds of pictures on them. And yet one is considered virtuous and the other a relic of the devil. It is indeed a strange kind of world in which some people live.

"Now I believe either that playing cards is bad—no matter whether you call it rook or whether it be one of those games commonly known as five-hundred or set-back or sixty-two, or whatever else it may be, or it is harmless. If it's not bad, and if there is no harm in it, why change the name?"

That reminded one of his hearers, who in the days gone by had occasionally played a few of the social games with cards, that not so long ago he had gone to a social function where rook was to be played. He had heard of rook, but hadn't the slightest conception of what it was. When he protested his ignorance of the game, the others had assured him that it was easy to learn.

Imagine his surprise, after playing one game, to find that with the exception of different kinds of pictures on the cards, he was playing one of the games he had played in other days with a set of the much abused playing cards. He had no trouble in playing for the remainder of the evening.

He hasn't played rook since, but he understands what the preacher meant. There's something in what he says, but it is not hard to understand why the associations around the ordinary playing cards may make them objectionable to many people and yet other cards which have not been in bad company do not have the same effect.

The preacher had something more to say about consistency, but we won't quote him further. There are many inconsistencies in this world and frail mortals with their many imperfections cannot be expected to set them all right.

No sermon is meant to be preached here.

"Shep"—Shep was only a Scotch collie dog, and was privileged to live but a few short years upon this mundane sphere. Even for a dog, he performed no notable tasks. He only knew how to round up the cows and there was little demand for his services in this direction. His chief service was being friendly. No matter how dark and dreary the day or how blue the folks at home might be, Shep was always happy, glad and joyous. He was never grouchy. He had no troubles. He couldn't be as friendly as he wanted to be. He was denied the power of speech by which he might express his feelings.

Shep never forgot his friends. When the writer was permitted to see him upon occasional visits to the home, there was no one who was more completely filled with joy than Shep. From the time we arrived until we left, Shep was our constant companion. He would bark and caper about in sheer delight.

We never did anything to deserve Shep's friendship. It was purely gratuitous. Shep wasn't friendly because of any reward that he expected. It was his nature. His was a pure unselfish friendship, born of a disposition that dogs have.

Shep is gone. There is an aching void in the home now. Another will take his place ere long. This shall be the only reward that he will get — a tribute to friendship that was pure and unselfish in its devotion. What better epitaph could he wish.

HAS CONVICT MORAL RIGHT TO MARRY?

R. A. Walsh's New Production Goes Right to Heart of This Question.

A new phase of criminology has been revealed as a result of R. A. Walsh's new motion picture production, "A Man for All That." In this photoplay production Walsh presents a new problem to the criminologists.

Has a man who has been in prison the moral right to marry?

There have been many diverse answers to this question, but never before has it been squarely put before the American public in the gripping and direct manner in which Walsh is now presenting it. The Walsh play takes the position that felon stripes do not eradicate the traits that make a man worth while.

The argument of the play is that neither prison nor prison keepers have it in their power to undermine the strength of real manhood.

This production is certain to arouse comment throughout the country—Photoplay News Service.

HEADQUARTERS SELECTED.

For State Highway Commission, in Charge of Engineer Fallis.

Raleigh, N. C., April 2.—The special committee from the State Highway Commission, consisting of Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, E. C. Duncan and Col. Benehan Cameron, co-operating with State Treasurer B. R. Lacy on the part of the commission, where State Engi- rooms in the Commercial Bank skyscraper for the Raleigh headquarters of the commission where State Engineer W. S. Fallis will be in charge. It was found to be impossible to make room for the highway headquarters in the present State buildings.

SCREEN FASHIONS

Spring is here!

Spring, with its sunshine, budding plant life, bright skies, balmy air and lovely new frock is here! It is in the air we breathe. It is in our smiles, our hopes, our hearts and our faces. And so it is a natural consequence that it will be in our clothes.

Of all the seasons of the year, spring is the most subtly beautiful. Ambitions which seem to have fagged with the winter months suddenly flare ingto being once more. Friendships apparently but a passing fancy, become attractive, warmer, more vital. It is spring.

The shops are resplendent with gorgeous fabrics of every description, from the daintiest tulle to the more magnificent brocades and satins. And such hats! Creations of every sort, from the daintiest little flower bonnet to the most dazzlingly beautiful picture hats are seen in all their splendor, and the spring season bids well to be a harbinger of exquisite summer styles.

Movie stars seem more determined than ever to hold their place in the field of fashion, judging from the beautiful and artistic creations we see in the new films. One of the known leaders of fashion is Miss Edna Maison, who, with her rare type of Spanish beauty, can wear the most gorgeous gowns with exquisite effect. Such costumes as she wears in "When Jealousy Tumbled" are indeed a rare treat. Take for instance the dinner party scene in a sketchy, frilled, sleeveless gown with a quaintly beruffled lace skirt trimmed with black tulle. Miss Maison is the reincarnation of spring. Beatrice Van is a vision of beauty in an affair of brocade glistening with silver thread and chiffon. There is not a sign of a sleeve, which is the latest mandate of fashion for evening frocks.

Then, again, pretty Frances Nelson, the Imp star, known to movie fans for her charming gowns,is another devotee of Dame Fashion. In the accompanying illustration she is seen in a canary-yellow satin covered with tulle of the same shade. The daisies made a delightful trimming.

But we must not forget Cleo Madison's sumptuous costume which she wears in "The Human Menace." It is a white satin, trimmed with strands of silver beads, while a huge rose embellishes the corsage. Another charming creation worn by Miss Madison in this same picture is an evening frock with the shoulder straps merged into the daintiest bodice you ever saw, while a simply hung skirt of Chantilly lawn over satin devoid of any draping or trimmings give a Grecian effect to Miss Madison's regal figure.

TEN WEEKS IN BED---EMINENT PHYSICIANS FAILED---WONDERFUL RECOVERY.

I wish to inform you of the great benefit I have derived from the use of Swamp-Root. I had been a sufferer for more than twenty years from kidney and liver trouble and was almost constantly treated by the most eminent physicians who could only give me temporary relief. I had been in bed ten weeks when I began the use of Swamp Root. Inside of twenty-four hours I could see that I had used several bottles when I really felt that my old trouble was completely cured and I am positive that any person suffering with kidney or liver trouble can be cured by the use of this preparation.

I am now in the best of health, better than I have been for ten years or more. I do not know how to express myself as strongly as I desire, in favor of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, as I am sure that it saved my life and that my good health is due entirely to this great remedy. I heartily recommend it to every sufferer, and am confident they can be benefited as I have been. It is a pleasure for me, gentlemen, to hand you this recommendation.

MRS. H. J. PRICE,
1406 Center St. Portsmouth, Ohio.

Personally appeared before me this 13th of September, 1909, Mrs. H. J. Price, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

R. A. CALVERT,
Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

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NEW YORK COTTON ACTIVE

Storm in Cotton Belt Together With Low Temperatures Aids Prices —Other Markets Closed.

New York, April 3.—A storm area in the Atlantic Coast States and low temperatures generally throughout the belt caused considerable strength in cotton today and prices were well sustained closing almost at the top and 9 to 16 points above Thursday's close.

Both New Orleans and Liverpool markets were closed, which perhaps accounted for some of the activity in New York.

In the dry goods market one of the important features of the week was said to have been the advance of 1-4c per yard on several leading lines of bleached cottons. The scarcity of dyestuffs has caused important lines of cotton goods to be withdrawn from sale and large contracts have been turned down by some of the manufacturers while others have greatly reduced their range of colors and patterns.

According to Manchester cables, American coarse yarns there were 1-8d higher with buying restricted throughout.

Demand from India, China and South America has been light. On the other hand, sales of print cloths at Fall river for the week were 275,000 pieces compared with 180,000 last year, while curtailment was slightly ahead of a year ago.

Spot cotton steady; middling uplands 9.90, no sales.

Cotton futures closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
May	9.67	9.81	9.67	9.80
July	10.00	10.12	10.00	10.11
October	10.38	10.46	10.38	10.44
December	10.57	10.63	10.57	10.62
January	10.64	10.70	10.63	10.68

RESERVE BANK FIGURES.

Gold Coin and Certificates in Reserve Banks Decreased $3,000,000.

Washington, April 3.—Gold coin and certificates in the hands of the Federal Reserve banks decreased about $3,000,000 during the last week, while legal tender and silver certificates increased about $2,500,000, according to the statement of condition April 2, issued today by the Federal Reserve Board. It shows:

Resources: Gold coin and certificates, $239,176,000.

Legal tender notes, silver certificates and subsidiary coin, $25,627,000. Total, $264,803,000.

Bills discounted and loans: Maturities within 30 days, $10,075,000. maturities within 60 days, $15,244,000. Other, $8,359,000. Total, $33,678,000.

Investments, $22,299,000.

Due from Federal Reserve banks: Items in transit, $10,289,000. All other resources, $8,605,000. Total resources, $339,674,000.

Liabilities: Captal paid in, $36,123,000. Reserve deposits, $293,954,000. Federal reserve notes in circulation (net liability), $9,597,000. Total liabilities, $339,674,000.

Gold reserve against net liabilities, 81.6 per cent.

Cash reserve against net liabilities, 90.3 per cent.

Cash reserve against liabilities, after setting aside 40 per cent gold reserve against net amount of Federal reserve notes in circulation, 92.0 per cent.

WEEKLY DRY GOODS REVIEW

Cotton Goods Closed the Month Higher and Stronger—Good Orders.

New York, April 3.—The cotton goods markets closed the month higher and stronger. Bleached goods, prints, printcloths and convertibles, sheetings, and many other lines were advanced after steady and large sales.

Owing to the scarcity of dyestuffs many colored lines are being withdrawn and orders taken are subject to mill acceptance.

The demand for duck for export continues steady and shipments are large. There has been a good business done on percale and prints. Many lines of standard bleached muslins are up 1-4c a yard or at value. Wide sheetings are particularly scarce for quick delivery at first hands.

Prices: Print cloths 28-inch 64x64s, 3 cents; 64x60s, 2 7-8c; 38 1-2 inch 64x64s, 4 1-4. Staple ginghams 6 1-4, dress ginghams 9 1-4c.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, April 3.—Hogs strong, bulk, 6.85@6.95; light, 6.70@7.00. Mixed, 6.70@7.00; heavy, 6.50@7.00; rough, 6.50@6.60; pigs, 5.60@6.65.

Cattle—Steady, native steers, 5.90@8.75; cows and heifers, 3.00@7.75; calves, 6.00@9.00.

Sheep—Firm. Sheep, 7.25@8.40; lambs, 7.75@10.15.

HOW CHRIST DRESSED

"Never Did Wear Much That Was Expensive," Say Kinston Ministers.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., April 3,—"The Father's Son will look down on the next Sunday morning as little children imagine him looking down—as he does upon worshippers from stained glass windows. His face will, maybe, wear that same expression of mixed pity, compassion, pathos, hurt, love—ask the very hardened sinner who once in a great while comes face to face with the Saviour's picture in a church window and visualizes just what he saw when he was a little child and had forgotten until the moment."

That is a part of the advertising that Kinston pastors used yesterday in boosting "Go-to-church Sunday," which will be observed here tomorrow.

"Christ never did wear much that was expensive or especially stylish" was the argument advanced to those who "will not go to church because their shoes are scratched, their trousers patched, etc."

That "sarcastic hypocrities have no reason for remaining away from church" also was asserted. "Why, if he were here Sunday he would be the meekest of all of these, the Christ who was just the kind of a man a person would like to run up against casually."

Kinston pastors assert that the total church attendance here tomorrow will break all previous records by thousands.

Tomorrow, the ministers say, will celebrate "the gladdest event, which followed the saddest event," the world has ever known.

—Mr. F. W. Cox, who has been in the service of the Atlantic Coast Line for the last seven years, recently resigned his position to engage in the plumbing business. Mr. W. L. Barnes is associated with him.

WHEAT MARKET UNSETTLED

Peace Talk Caused a Downward Swing But Rallies Followed — Closed Slightly Above Previous Day.

Chicago, April 3.—After taking a downward turn in response to peace rumors, wheat today advanced when developments failed to fonfirm hopes that a shortening of the war was in sight. Feeling at the close was unsettled with quotations ⅛ to 1⅛c above Thursday night's level. Corn finished a sixteenth off to a like amount up, oats unchanged to ⅛@¼c lower and provisions at a rise of 2½ to 10 cents.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat—May, 1.53¾; July, 1.22¾.
Corn—May, 73; July, 75½.
Oats—May, 57; July, 54.
Pork—May, 17.10; July, 17.60.
Lard—May, 10.15; July, 10.40.
Ribs—May, 9.97; July, 10.30.
Cash wheat—No. 2 red, 1.53¼@1.54; No. 2 hard, 1.55½@1.55¾. Corn—No. 2 yellow, nominal.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Tug Virginian, at Southport, towing barges Tampa and Juniper, from Charleston to Northern ports, for harbor. C. D. Maffitt & Co.

Cleared.

Str. Cherokee, Bunnell, New York. C. J. Becker, agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 2,289 tons, Heilnsch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Linke, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Barges.

Barge Vera Cruz, 1,816 tons, at Southport, C. D. Maffitt & Co. (for harbor).

Barge Mattie L. Johnson, at Southport, C. D. Maffitt & Co. (for harbor.)

Barge William H. Donahue, at Southport, C. D. Maffitt & Co. (for harbor).

Tugs.

Tug Pan-American (Amer.), at Southport, C. D. Maffitt & Co. (for harbor).

Tug Tormentor (Am.), at Southport, C. D. Maffitt & Co. (for harbor).

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, April 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, at 44.

ROSIN—Quiet, $2.80 per barrel for large; $2.70 per barrel for small.

TAR—Quiet, $1.50 per barrel; 7c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Steady, $2.75 per barrel for soft; $2.75 per barrel for virgin; $1.50 per barrel for hard.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 42c. Rosin, firm, $3.50. Tar, firm, $2.00-9c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.50, $3.50, $2.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	42
Rosin	(—)
Tar	100
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts —Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, (—) casks; rosin, 1 barrel; tar, 1 barrel; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, at 8¾c.; quotations same last year, nominal.

Receipts, 619 bales; same day last year, 516 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, to date, 229,881 bales.

Total receipts to same day last year, 364,657 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 3, 1915.

Atlantic Coast Line—Cotton, 619 bales; spirits turpentine, 2 casks; tar, 50 barrels.

Thelma—Tar, 50 barrels.

Mary Lee—Spirits turpentine, 40 casks.

Total—Cotton, 619 bales; spirits turpentine, 42 casks; rosin, 40 barrels.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Beredith, April 3.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

PEAS—Black eyed peas, $2.50 per bu.; cow peas, market not open.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, 80@85c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 85@90c. per bu.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; good sales.

PORK—Small, 8@10c per lb.

SHEEP—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 21c. free, 20@21c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 13c.; dry flints, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 20c.; sides and shoulders, 15c. lb.; very dull; no sales.

BEESWAX—Firm, 25c. per lb.; dull.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 40@45c. Spring, 15@30c. per head; very dull. Turkeys, 15c.; very dull.

EGGS—18c. per doz.; very dull.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, April 3.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, firm; new crop, fancy hand-picked, 85c; No. 1, machine picked, 75c. per bu.

Virginia Peanuts—Steady; Jumboes, 75c.; fancy hand picked, 66c.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Steady; No. 1 small, machine picked, 85c; Jumbos, 75c. per bu. Receipts light.

ACTIVITY IN ALL STOCKS

Two Hour Session Manifested Much Activity and Breadth to Stock Market—Specialties Lead.

New York, April 3.—Today's two-hour market session manifested pronounced activity and breadth. More than the average amount of business was restricted to minor issues like the local traction group, Rock Island, Erie and specialties. The various motor shares also contributed more than a fair share to the whole.

Rock Island continued its erratic points at the outset, but recovering course, later, declining almost three later. Numerous specialties ranging from tobacco subsidiaries to Continental Can rose two points or more, while Cuban-American Sugar rose ten points to the accompaniment of stock or cash dividend rumors.

Leading stocks moved irregularly at times, but became more steady in the leadings with numerous net gains and large individual transactions in United States Steel and Reading. Bethlehem Steel regained some of its decline of the early week.

Respecting the stel trade it was stated that export orders are running at double the rate of the closing months of 1914.

The day's railroad news included February statements of earnings by New Haven, and the Atlantic Coast Line, the latter showing a decrease in operating income of 187,000, while the former decreased its deficit by $719,000. No change of importance was disclosed by the bank statement aside from a $14,222,000 expansion of actual loans. Cash changes were nominal and excess reserves decreased by $1,618,000.

The bond market was broad but irregular in the main. Total sales par value, aggregated $1,881,000.

United States registered 2s declined 1-4 per cent. and the coupons 2s 3-8 per cent. on call during the week.

New York Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	63
American Agricultural, bid	49½
American Can	31¾
American Car & Foundry	47½
American Cities	—
American Cities pfd	45
American Cotton Oil	47
American Smelting	67½
American Snuff	151
American Sugar	107½
American Tel. and Tel.	119¾
American Tobacco	224½
Atchison	99⅞
Atlantic Coast Line, bid	104
Baltimore and Ohio	72⅝
Canadian Pacific	164
Central Leather	35
Chesapeake and Ohio	46
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	89½
Erie	27⅝
General Electric	145
Great Northern, pfd.	118¾
Illinois Central	108¾
Interborough-Met., pfd.	69¼
Kansas City Southern	24*
Lehigh Valley	137¼
Louisville and Nashville	116*
Liggett and Myers	220*
Lorillard Co., bid	160
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	13⅞
Missouri Pacific	14⅝
Mex. Petroleum	72¼
New York Central	85¾
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	60½
Norfolk and Western	102¼
Northern Pacific	106
Pennsylvania	106⅝
Reading	166
Rep. Iron and Steel	22¾
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	78¾
Rock Island Co., bid	—½
Rock Island Co., pfd.	1
St. L. and San Fran. 2d, pfd. bid.	6
Seaboard Air Line	14½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd., bid	36
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron bid	29
Southern Pacific	87½
Southern Railway	17¼
Southern Railway, pfd, bid	54¼
Tennessee Copper	30
Texas Co., bid	136
Texas and Pacific, bid	15½
Union Pacific	125⅝
United States Steel	49½
United States Steel, pfd.	105⅞
Utah Copper	56⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	23½
Western Union	65⅝
Bathlehem Steel	87¾
American Beet Sugar	44⅛

Total sales for the day 298,500 shares.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., March 15. — Spanish —Farmers' stock, market quiet, 80c. per bu.

Virginias — Farmers' stock, market, steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3¾c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3 c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 2¼c. to 2¾c.

DRY GOODS MARKET

New York, April 3.—Wide sheetings and wide printed shirting advanced in price today. Cotton goods were firm, yarns steady and burlaps irregularly higher. The imports of dry goods are increasing. Linens were very firm and knit goods advanced.

Our "JITNEY" Offer—This and 5c.

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back, rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic, especially comforting to stout persons. R. R. Bellamy.

Announcement

The remainder of the G. H. Haar stock of Dry Goods, Notions and fixtures must be closed out. The court has granted permission for another big cut beginning Monday morning, April 5th. Come early.

111 Chestnut Street

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

April 4, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 34 degrees; at 8 P. M., 37 degrees; maximum, 39 degrees; minimum, 34 degrees; mean, 36 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .37; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.62 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 13.3 feet and rising.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Fair and rising temperatures Sunday and Monday.

The Port Calendar, April 4, 1915.

Sun rises .....5:55 A. M.
Sun sets .....6:35 P. M.
Day's length .....12 hrs. 40 min.

THE TIDES.

Wilmington	8.30	8.33	1.02	1.16
Southport	11.05	11.41	5.19	5.24
Masonb'o Inlet.	10.54	11.30	4.59	5.04

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.
April 2, 1915.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest today.	Temperature Lowest last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene		36		
Asheville	cloudy	36	28	.02
Atlanta	clear	48	34	.12
Augusta	cloudy	46	36	.12
Birmingham	clear	52	36	.0
Boston			36	
Charleston	cloudy	46	38	.38
Charlotte pt.	cludy	42		.18
Chicago	clear	38	34	.0
Galveston	clear	60	46	.0
Jcks'nville	cloudy	54	42	.02
Memphis			38	
Mabile	clear	56	40	.0
Montgomery	clear	54	40	.02
New Orleans	clear	58	42	.0
New York	snow	38	36	1.02
Oklahoma	clear	60	32	.0
Palestone	clear	60	38	.0
Pittsburg	cloudy	38	28	.0
Raleigh				
Savannah	cloudy	46	38	.42
Shreveport			36	
St Louis	clear	50	30	.0
Washington	cldy	38	36	.44

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET

New York, April 3.—Cotton seed oil was steadier on very small offering and local covering due largely to firmness in lard and cotton, closing net unchanged to five points higher.

The market closed firm. Prime summer yellow 6.50; April 6.62; May 6.76; June 6.90; July 7.02; August 7.14; September 7.24; October 7.23; November 6.75.

HOW FRENCH PEOPLE CURE STOMACH TROUBLE

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this country by George H. Mayr, who for twenty years has been one of the leading down-town druggists of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. So quick and effective is its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and can now be had at all leading drug stores. It is sold with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction.

500 Bushels Field Pease.

300 Boxes Dried Peaches.

100 Bags Dried Apples.

500 Bags Rice, all grades.

200 Bags Green Coffee.

Complete line of Groceries.

Orders Solicited.

Quotations and Samples Furnished on application.

SAMUEL BEAR, SR., & SONS

Wholesale Grocers

311 N. Front St.

Wilmington, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER County: In the Superior Court, before the Clerk.

M. F. H. Gouverneur, et al, vs. M. G. Tiencken, et al: Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Drainage Commissioners of New Hanover County Drainage District, No. 1 propose to issue bonds for the payment of the total cost of the improvements contemplated for said District; that the amount of bonds to be issued, including an amount sufficient to pay three years' interest on the same, is twenty-two thousand dollars; that the said bonds are to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date of their issue and that the said bonds are payable as follows: Twenty-two hundred dollars, payable three years from the date of issue and twenty-two hundred dollars per year for nine additional years.

Any land owner in said District not wanting to pay interest on the bonds may, within fifteen days after the publication of this notice, pay to the County Treasurer the full amount for which his land in said District is liable, to be ascertained from the classification sheet and the certificate of the Board of Drainage Commissioners now on file in the Clerk's office of said County, showing the total cost of improvements, and have his lands released from liability to be assessed for the said improvements.

Dated and Posted this 30th day of March, 1915.

C. VAN LEUVEN,
Chairman Board of Drainage Commissioners.
M. F. H. Gouverneur, Secretary.
mh31,22,28;ap4-4t

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Pursuant to the provisions of the charter of the City of Wilmington and a resolution of the City Council of the City of Wilmington, passed at its session on Wednesday, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1915, notice is hereby given that a general municipal election has been called to be held in the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, in the various wards and voting precincts of the said city, on Tuesday, the 4th day of May, A. D. 1915, for the purpose of electing a Mayor of the said City and six Councilmen or six Aldermen of the said City, as the case may be, and that the following named polling places and registrars and judges of election have been designated and named for the purpose of holding said election, to-wit:

First Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Engine House, 4th and Campbell streets.

Registrar—W. H. Howe.

Poll holders and judges of election—Willie Kerr, J. B. Elkins.

Second Ward Precinct.

Polling Place: Police Station, City Hall.

Registrar—W. W. Hodges.

Poll holders and judges of election—E. H. Munson, C. H. Ward.

Third Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Giblem Lodge, corner 8th and Princess streets.

Registrar—J. R. Davis.

Poll holders and judges of election—Sam Wood, C. C. Bellamy.

Fourth Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—McClellan's Stables, 116 Dock street.

Registrar—W. A. Spooner.

Poll holders and judges of election—J. O. Reilly, J. T. Riley.

Fifth Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Engine House, 5th and Castle streets.

Registrar—R. H. Orrell.

Poll holders and judges of election—S. A. Matthews, I. N. Burriss.

Sixth Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Mann's Store, 17th and Market street.

Registrar—J. F. Mann.

Poll holders and judges of election—J. H. Womble, A. M. King.

At which said election the electors of the said city will be entitled to vote for one candidate for Mayor, and one candidate for Councilman, or Alderman, as the case may be, from each of the six wards of the said city, and the registration books will open for the registration of electors on Friday, the 16th day of April, A. D. 1915, and closed on Saturday, the 24th day of April, A. D. 1915, Sunday excepted, Saturday, the 24th, being also challenge day.

Official ballots will be provided at the polling places and said election will be conducted in the manner prescribed by law.

By order of the City Council.

THOS. D. MEARES,
City Clerk and Treasurer.

NOTICE OF SALE OF THE FISH FACTORY PLANT, WITH APPURTENANCES OF THE CAROLINA COAST PRODUCTS CO., LOCATED ON THE CAPE FEAR RIVER, UNDER DECREE OF THE U. S. FEDERAL COURT.

By virtue of a decree of the U. S. District Court, for the Eastern District of North Carolina, in a suit therein pending, wherein R. E. Sumner, T. C. Meadows, are complainants, and the Carolina Coast Products Co. and the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., trustee, are defendants, and by authority ton me given by said decree, the undersigned will sell, subject to confirmation by the court, on the first Monday in April, 1915, being the 5th day of April, at the U. S. Post Office, in Wilmington, N. C., at 12 o'clock M., at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, all the land, plant and property of the defendant, the Carolina Coast Products Company, located and situated on the West side of the Cape Fear river, near St. Philip's, known as the Fish Factory, except the Comissary Stores, and manufactured products, but including all of the property described in the deed of trust, executed by the Carolina Coast Products Company, to the Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., Trustees, dated the 1st day of August, 1913, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office, Brunswick county, this State, in Book 22, Page ——, therein described as follows:

"And all that piece and parcel of land, located in Brunswick county, North Carolina, near St. Phillip's, on the Cape Fear river, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the Cape Fear River, said stake being situated in the northern line of lot number three (3) in the division of the estate of the late Isaac Reynolds, as divided by his will, and as appears by the plat mentioned there, and runs thence north seventy-eight (78) degrees west two hundred and twenty (220) poles to a stake in the Orton line, thence north twelve (12) degrees east along the Orton line to a stake in the big Hog Pen Pond, the same being the southwest corner of lot number six (6) in the division of the Isaac Reynolds estate, thence south seventy-eight (78) degrees east to the Cape Fear River, thence with the various courses of that river to the beginning, together with all and singular, the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining; also all buildings, warehouses, wharves, factories, tools, machinery, and personal property, whether affixed to the realty or not, now owned by said mortgagor company and located on said premises or used thereon in connection with its fish factory, situated on the premises or otherwise, and all real and personal estate, franchises, privileges, rights and powers of every kind and description, now owned or hereafter to be acquired by the said mortgagor company, of the first part:

TERMS OF SALE.

The property will be sold as a whole, under the following terms and conditions:

No bids will be received for less than $40,000. The purchaser to pay in cash, or, at his option, one-half cash, when deed is delivered and balance of equal installments in six and twelve months, from date of confirmation of sale. Deferred payments to be secured by note, with six per cent. interest, payable quarterly, and by mortgage on the premises so sold, or by other satisfactory security. Insurance on the property to be transferred to the Receiver of this Court. The successful bidder at the sale shall at once deposit with the Receiver, a duly certified check in the sum of $1,000, to be credited on the purchase price, if the sale be confirmed, and if not, to be returned to purchaser, but, if confirmed, and the purchaser does not comply with the conditions of sale, then said check to be forfeited to the benefit of this trust. If the highest bidder does not deposit checks, when property is knocked down to him, the undersigned will report the sale as made to the next highest bidder who complies with the condition of the sale.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

One tract land, about 100 acres, factory site, having river frontage, about 1,500 feet, deep water.

Extensive wharves and coal docks, recently constructed.

Main Factory Building, 2 stories, 200x40.

Large Fertilizer House, pitch 24 feet, 140x100.

Carpenter Shop, 16x30.

Machine Shop, 20x100.

Boiler House, 90x35.

Dry House and Fertilizer Rooms, 45x246.

Also Dining Room, Kitchen, Sleeping Quarters, Watchmen's Dwelling, Bag House, 16x90; Cook Room, 51x84, and other buildings.

MACHINERY—

5 Logan Return Tubular Boilers.
1 Waberter Vacuum Feed Water Heater.
2 American Process Dryers.
2 American Process Screw Presses.
8 Curry Presses.
6 Steam Engines.
Dynamo and Electric Lighting Equipment.
2 Morris' Fish Cookers.
10 Snow Duplex and Smith-Vail Pumps.
Complete Machine and Carpenter Shop Equipment.
Complete Loading and Carrying equipment.
Reservoir and Storage Tracts.
Property in good condition; altogether up to date, modern, complete fish factory, ready to operate immediately.

For further information and inventory, apply undersigned.

FRANK HERBST,
Receiver.

Wilmington, N. C.
Iredell Meares,
Attorney Complainants.
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 12, 1914.

WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE, WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND

Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach
.....	.....	.....
a8:30 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.
.....	.....	.....
6:50 A.M.	6:50 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.
a9:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	.....
8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.
.....	.....	.....
10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.
c1:55 P. M.	c1:55 P. M.	.....
cd2:35 P. M.	.....	.....
3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	.....	.....
c4:10 P. M.	.....	.....
4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.
c4:50 P. M.	.....	.....
5:30 P. M.	5:30 P.M.	5:30 P.M.
6:10 P. M.	6:10 P. M.	.....
6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.
7:15 P. M.	7:15 P. M.	.....
8:15 P. M.	8:15 P. M.	.....
9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
10:15 P. M.	10:15 P. M.	.....
11:15 P.M.	11:15 P. M.	.....

WEST BOUND

Leave Winter Park for	Leave Wrightsville for	Leave Beach for
Wilmington	Wilmington	Wilmington
a6:30 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a7:31 A. M.	a7:20 A. M.	.....
b7:06 A. M.	b7:45 A. M.	b7:30 A. M.
a8:01 A. M.	a7:50 A. M.	a7:40 A. M.
a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	.....
9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
b10:31A.M.	b10:20 A. M.	.....
11:06 A.M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A.M.
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SPECIAL FOR SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess streets every half hour from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M.

Leave Beach every half hour from 2:45 to 5:45 P. M.

a—Daily, except Sundays.
b—Sundays Only.
c—Superceded by half hour cars Sunday afternoons.
d—Goes through to Seagate; returning leaves Seagate at 3:00 P. M.
e—Leaves from Station No. 3.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

(Daily, except Sundays.)

Leave Ninth and Orange streets, 3:30 P. M.
Freight Depot open from 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Feb. 18, 1915. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 80. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 81. * 6:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbus and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbus, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 80. *12:35 A.M.
No. 84. 10:15 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 83. ‖ 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 82. * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 83. *12:50 P.M.
No. 85. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 84. *12:50 P.M.
No. 89. ‖ 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 86. ‖10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. * 9:50 A.M.

* Daily. ‖ Daily except Sunday. ¶ Tuesdays, Thursday and Saturdays.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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New York to Wilmington.

S. S. Navahoe.....Friday, April 2nd
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Wilmington to Georgetown.

S. S. Navahoe.....Monday, April 5th
S. S. Cherokee.....Monday, April 12th

Wilmington to New York.

S. S. Cherokee.....Saturday, April 3rd
S. S. Navahoe.....Saturday, April 10th

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Lv.Petersburg	11:00a.m.	10:40p.m.
Lv.Durham	7:00a.m.	5:30p.m.
Lv.Lynchburg	2:45p.m.	2:30a.m.
Ar.Cincinnati	7:20a.m.	6:30a.m.
Ar.Columbus	6:45a.m.	7:00p.m.
Ar.Chicago	5:00p.m.	8:00a.m.
Ar.St. Louis	6:32p.m.	8:30a.m.

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RED HOT CAMPAIGN ON NOW IN WAYNE CAPITAL

Firing of Big Guns of Daily Occurrence in Goldsboro.

S. F. Teague Opposing Present Mayor Higgins Who Seeks Re-Election With Present Board of Aldermen—Hot Shot.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., April 3.—Another big gun was fired into the local political camps this afternoon when supporters of S. F. Teague, candidate for mayor, published an article in the Goldsboro Argus attacking the other candidate, John R. Higgins, charging him with running a "wide open town." The article reads in part as follows:

"Fathers of the young men of the city of Goldsboro, young men of the city of Goldsboro who stand for the best and highest in life, will you counsel your sons and companions to shun the evils that beset men, young and old, and then by your vote and sympathy cast your influence with those who confessedly stand for and are trying to force on us a "wide open town?' Is it not time to put aside personal feelings and take your stand with those who are working for those things you profess to believe in?"

In publishing the article Col. James E. Robinson, editor of The Argus, had the following comment to make editorially defending Mr. Higgins and the present city administration:

"As a citizen of Goldsboro, I strongly condemn this attempt to besmirch the fair name of Goldsboro—the best town in the State, not in boast but in fact—in order that any man or set of men may win office, whether I be personally for them or against them. As a citizen of Goldsboro who has intimate personal knowledge of the characters and lives of Messrs. Walter D. Creech, John R. Crawford, Lionel Weil, John A. Parker, John W. Isler, Dr. C. B. Hall, J. W. Sadler, Clarence Peacock and S. W. Draper, who constitute our present excellent board of aldermen, and of Hon. John R. Higgins, our no less excellent mayor, I resent this imputation upon their characters as representative citizens of my town and deeply regret that any one should use paid contract advertising space in The Argus to impugn their standing in the community which as aldermen and mayor for six years they have served so admirably that the progress achieved by the city under their administration is the marvel of the State.

"The advertisement to which this protest is made has not at this writing been seen by any one but the editor of The Argus and the printer who put it in type, and, therefore, what the citizens of Goldsboro will think of it remains to be heard from later, but with every fibre of my nature, I loathe the slanderous language and I am sure my fellow citizens of Goldsboro who know the manner of men composing our city administration named above will rebuke it as it deserves. Sincerely,

"JOSEPH E. ROBINSON,
"Editor, The Argus."

SAILING CRAFT IS SUNK.

German Submarine Sends French Vessel to Bottom—Crew Saved.

Fecamp, France, April 3.—The three-masted fishing vessel Paquerette, of Fecamp was sunk this afternoon by a German submarine off Etretat, nine miles southwest of Fecamp. The crew was rescued.

The Paquerette had just sailed for the New Foundland fishing banks with 32 men. Nine other vessels belonging to the same company had preceded her, but apparently safely passed the danger zone.

COUNTY FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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leaving balance on April 1 of $17,600.90.

Health Department—Received from poll and property tax, $470.70. Paid for exepnse of heath department, $483.44. Balance on April 1, $2,890.93.

Special Bridge Fund—Received from poll and property tax, $286.35; overdrawn on April 1, $4,830.32.

Salary Fund—Received during month $1,582.93 as follows: Sheriff, $823.22; Clerk of Superior Court, $398.81; Register of Deeds, $344.40; constable, $19.50. Paid $1,551.25 as follows; Sheriff, $753.75; Clerk of Superior Court, $379.17; Register of Deeds, $358.33; constable, $60.

Work House Fund—Received from the sale of bonds, $35,000 and from interest, $413.20. Disbursements during month, $28,225.77, leaving balance on April 1 of $2,366.86.

School Bond Sinking Fund—Received from poll and property tax, 723.73, making total of $3,575.12.

MRS. MOLLIE PERDEW DEAD

Aged Woman Passed Away at Home in This City Yesterday Afternoon.

Friends will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Mollie Perdew which occurred yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at her home No. 211 Davis street. She was 73 years old. The funeral will be conducted from the residence this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor of Southside Baptist church, and the interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

Surviving her are her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Lanier, and one grandson, Mr. Sterling Lanier, of Wilmington, one sister, Mrs. L. V. Stickler, of Henderson, and one brother, Mr. A. A. Abbott, of Clinton. They will have the tenderest sympathy of their friends.

Business Locals

WANTED—For Zara Graded School, cantractor to move single story building. For particulars apply to W. T. Flynn, East Arcadia, N. C. ap 4-4t*

SPECIAL EASTER BRICK ICE CREAM—Telephone your order early, we will deliver it at any appointed time, 3 for 25c. Phone 248. Elvington & Mintz. ap 4-1t*

FOR QUICK SALE—30 H. P. 5-PASSenger touring car in A1 order. Price, $275.00. Cash or time. Leaving. Box 296, city. ap 4-1t

WE HOPE WE WON'T HAVE ANY more yesterdays this week, for the lumber business surely was dull. However, we take care of our stock, and lumber which should be dry will be as dry as ever tomorrow. Let us have your order, please. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. ap 4-1t

WANTED—TO BUY OR TRADE FOR 6 or 8 E. M. F., Flanders or Studebaker's car. Must be bargain. Answer "New Bus," care The Star. ap4-1t

EARN $15-$25 WEEKLY ADDRESSING mailing circulars spare time, circular and instructions sent for 10c. Universal Sales Co., Box 622, Charlotte, N. C. ap4-1t*

FOR RENT—Attractive apartment, 2, 3 or 5 rooms, for light housekeeping, in private family. All modern conveniences, and home comforts. Telephone 348-J. ap 4-1t

FOR SALE—We are making special prices on engines, boilers, pumps, saw mills, planers and everything in the machinery line. A visit to our machinery yards will prove both interesting and profitable to users of any kind of mechanical equipment. Wilmington Iron Works. ap 4-1t

SEND YOUR KODAK FILMS TO CAMera Department, Green's Drug Store for Developing and printing. This department of our business is in charge of an experienced photographer. We use best materials with painstaking care. Twenty-four hour service. ap4-1t*

CONTRACTORS—ATTENTION! SHOWing jacks and timbers used in alterations corner Front and Princess street, United Cigar Stores. For sale cheap. Call Monday morning for H. L. Hulgren, at store. ap4-1t*

EASTER FLOWERS AND BLOOMING plants, fresh for Sunday. No advance in prices for Easter. Phone 779-W. 716 South Second St. ap4-1t*

FOUND—AT FIFTH AND MARKET, watch fob with monogram locket. Finder may secure by describing and paying for ad. C. H. White, City Hall. ap4-1t*

SUNSET PARK—FOR SALE TWO corner lots, improved streets and sidewalks on both sides. Water and sewerage. One block of car line. Will sell. $300 less than price they were put on market. John V. Grainger, Jr., Murchison Bank. ap4-1t*

FOR RENT—AT ONCE, SEVEN-ROOM two-story house, 710 Orange street, furnished. All modern convenience. Can be had at once, on account of leaving city. Phone 1648-J. ap4-2t

AN ELEGANT FAMILY HORSE, TWO seated Phaeton, and harness, can be bought at half price on account of leaving city. Can be seen at 710 Orange St., Phone 1648-J. ap4-2t

CONFEDERATE AND N. C. PAPER money wanted in quantity for cash. No fancy prices paid. Address "Mail," A. W. Dunning, R. F. D. No. 2, City. ap4-1t*

FOR RENT—ONE FURNISHED ROOM with board, phone, bath, and electric lights. Rates reasonable. Apply 120 Redcross St. ap4-1t*

BARNES AND COX, SANITARY plumbing repair work a specialty. Prompt work on all jobs, large or small. Phone 1021-W. ap4-1t*

WANTED—POSITION BY DOUBLE entry bookkeeper, part or whole time. Salary commensurate with service rendered. Address "Double Entry Bookkeeper," care The Star. ap4-1t*

COOPERATIVE BUILDING AND LOAN—Get ready for new series. Saturday, May 1, 1915. Get shares now. Make a start on saving money. Free booklets explaining B. & L. on application, at our office. J. G. Wright & Son., 124 Princess St. ap4-4t

FOR RENT—ONE NICE FURNISHED room, electric lights, telephone, and bath, $5 a month. Apply 303 South Second street. ap4-1t

BOOZE HAS BEEN CURTAILED BY the Legislature. Conquer that long standing for a nip by drinking pasteurized pure apple juice. Besides this, it tones up the liver. Just the thing you need for this spring time. Winesap apples, 35 and 40 cents a peck, Ben Davis, 30 cents, The Orchard. ap3-1t

IN THE GARRELL BUILDING WE OFfer you large light offices with good attention guaranteed. F. A. Lord, agent, 120 Princess St. ap4-1t*

FOR RENT—SEVERAL MODERN apartments. All conveniences. Steam heated, must be seen to be appreciated. For particulars apply C. P. B. Mahler, 23 South Second St. ap4-1t

ESTABLISHED MANUFACTURER wants State manager, high class article. Should pay $7,000 anually. $300 to $500 capital. Will pay expenses to Richmond if you are the man we want. References. Sales manager 514 Lyric Bldg., Richmond, Va.

FOR SALE—TWO SMALL HOUSES located in eastern section of city, must be sold by Wednesday. Property renting for $18 per month. Price $1,750. See Wilder & Metts, Agents. ap4-2t

FOR SALE—SEVEN ROOM BUNGAlow, new nice looking, all improvements, good neighborhood, one block from car line, lot 50 by 150 feet. Price $3,100; $700 cash, balance $6.50 per week. See Wilder & Metts, Agents. ap4-2t

FOR SALE—FIVE ROOM HOUSE, just completed, located Tenth and Redcross best renting section. Will pay 12 per cent. on money invested. See Wilder & Metts, Agents. ap4-2t

FOR SALE—WE HAVE 32 ACRES OF land that we can sell for $35 an acre, and arrange good terms. Masonboro township, five and one-half miles from city, four hundred feet creek front. Will sell all or part. See Wilder & Metts, Agents. ap4-2t

WANTED—FIVE BRIGHT, CAPABLE ladies to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers. $25 to $50 per week. Railroad fare paid. Goodrich Drug Co., Department 472, Omaha, Nebr. Ap 4 su-4t

WANTED—STUDENTS TO LEARN telegraphy; can also teach wireless; big demand; positions guaranteed. Write whether Morse or Wireless preferred. Charlotte Telegraph School, Charlotte, N. C. ap 4- su-4t*

OLD COINS WANTED—$50.00 PAID for dollar 1873, S. Mint; $2 for 1904 dollar, proof; $7 for 1853 quarter, no arrows. Many valuable coins circulating. Send 4c for large coin circular. It may mean large profits to you. Send to Numismatic Bank, Dept. 52, Fort Worth, Tex. Ap 4-1t*

HAVE A CONTRACT TO DISTRIBUTE a million Free Packages, soap powder with soaps, etc. Want reliable men and women to help. $15.00 weekly. Waverly Brown, 730 N. Franklin, Chicago, Ill. Ap 4-1t*

LARGE NICELY FURNISHED FRONT room, southern exposure, with excellent board. Rates moderate. Mrs. W. L. Miller, 515 Market St., Phone 1292-J. Ap 4-1t*

BACK IN HARNESS—Mr. H. C. GREEN Druggist, is again in charge of the prescription department at Hall's Cash Farmacy, corner Fifth and Castle streets. ap 4-1t

LOST—LARGE BROWN MINK FUR neck piece Saturday afternoon. Suitable reward if returned to Mrs. C. L. Pridgen, 508 Market street. ap 4-1t*

IF YOU ARE PARTICULAR and care to have your prescriptions filled accurately and delivered promptly, just phone HALL'S CASH FARMACY. The whole city our territory. ap 4-1t*

I CAN ACCOMMODATE ONE OR TWO with choice front room and excellent table board. All modern conveniences. If interested apply at 202 Walnut street. ap 4-1t*

WANTED—5,000 Panama and felt hats to be cleaned like new. The only expert hatter in the city. Bindings put on all kinds of hats. We also do up-to-date cleaning and pressing. American Practical Hatter, 128 Market street. Phone 418-W. ap 4-1t*

WHAT YOU HAVE BEEN LONGING for—at last there is to be had a vermifuge that will remove all the varieties of worms, and it isn't dangerous like syrups and powders. Just call for "Ottoman Vermifuge" at Hall's Cash Farmacy. ap 4-1t*

FOR RENT—Three or four rooms. Call at 207 Church street. ap 4-1t*

DESIRABLE FRONT STREET STORE, No. 24 North Front street, for rent. Suitable for shoe store, restaurant or pool room. Rent reasonable. Apply to James Owen Reilly. Fire Insurance and Real Estate. ap 4-1t*

HOTEL FOR RENT—PART OF BUILDing formerly occupied by Southern Hotel. In good order. Has 11 rooms. Rent reasonable. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. ap 4-3t

FOR RENT — TWO-STORY, 7-ROOM house, modern conveniences; 11 Walnut street. Possession given at once. Apply to W. C. Peterson. ap 4-1t

LOT AT WINTER PARK, FACING THE Shell Road. High and dry, 66x225 feet, for sale at a bargain. Call phone 1748—W. ap 4-1t*

WANTED—PROPERTY FOR SALE OR rent, in all parts of the county, have cash buyers for good proposition. Also list of tenants for houses. Geo. B. Applewhite, 210 Princess street. ap 4-1t

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—THE ANnual meeting of stockholders of the N. C. Home Building Association will be held in t he office of James Owen Reilly, No. 118 Princess street, Wednesday evening, April 7th, at 8 o'clock. Stockholders will please take notice. Jas. H. Taylor, Jr., Secretary and Treasurer. ap 4-1t

MRS. SHEPPARD, 209 Chestnut St., has two nice furnished rooms with hot water and lights. Phone 2042-J ap 4-1t*

IN STOCK, 30 BARRELS BEN DAVIS apples, 20 boxes apples, 5 boxes oranges, 5 crates tomatoes. In transit, 40 barrels Ben Davis apples, 15 boxes grape fruit, 7 boxes oranges. Fine as silk. Got to be sold. W. P. Oldham. ap 4-1t*

FOR SALE—One black mare: eight years old. Weight 1,200 lbs. Call or phone Mint Cola Bottling Co. ap 4-1t*

ST. AGNES GUILD WILL HOLD THEIR annual Easter egg hunt in St. James' churchyard Monday afternoon, April 5th, at 4 p. m.; admission 5c. Nurses free. Cake, ice cream and candy for sale. A "fishing pond" will be an added attraction. Each boy and girl guaranteed to get a prize valued at the amount expended. Everybody welcome. Come, bring the children. ap 4-1t

BEACH COTTAGE FOR RENT—See our list before the best ones are gone. Geo. B. Applewhite, phone 65, 210 Princess St. ap 4-1t

"SAVINGS AND LOAN"—Get the habit of saving, take stock in the "Brooklyn B. & L. Association." Series will remain open until April 15th. Office at 210 Princess St. Geo. B. Applewrite, Secretary and Treasurer. ap 4-2t

JUST THE ROOM YOU WANT, AND convenient to splendid boarding places. Have two that are nicely furnished, and the rent is reasonable. ap 4-1t*

FOUND AT LAST, THE BEST PLACE in the city to have your old shoes made new. Call on Big Ike or call 1095 at 114 Princess street, and receive results. Rubber heels a specialty. ap 4-1t*

WANTED TO BORROW $500 OR $1,000 on high class real estate. Address box 163, care Star. ap 4-1t

FOR RENT—18 NORTH SEVENTH, 8 rooms and two baths, rent reasonable. See James and James, Inc., Southern Bldg. Phone 163. ap 4-1t

FOR SALE—10 ACRE FARM, 8 ACRES cleared, 4 acres in woods. Six room cottage in good condition, barns and stables. Nine miles from city, on good road. See James & James, Inc., Insurance and Real Estate. Phone 163. ap 4-1t

COTTAGE AT CAROLINA COURT, SIX rooms and bath, $1,800. Three hundred down, balance on easy terms. See James & James, Inc. ap 4-1t

BEAVER BOARD FOR WALLS AND ceilings pleases others, and would please you. We have used it ourselves and we know whereof we speak. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. ap 4-1t

ADD BUS. LOCALS

THE OLD RELIABLE STORAGE battery man is still on the job. G. F. Hunt, Ford Garage. Ap 4-1t

FOR SALE—PONY AND BUGGY IN good condition. Good traveler. Will sell at reasonable price. Apply at 305 Bladen street, city. ap 4-1t*

AGENTS WANTED IN EVERY TOWN. Splendid selling office and household article; $25 to $50 a week. Large demand for goods. Start at once. Write today for particulars. Taylor Specialty Co., Victor Building, Washington, D. C. ap 4-1t*

FOR ALL KINDS OF LUMBER, rough or dressed. Boat boards and bill stuff a specialty. All lumber sold at about two-thirds of what you pay for it in the city. See the Brunswick Lumber & Shingle Co., Town Creek, N. C. ap 4-1t*

WANTED—POSITION AS GROCERY clerk or would consider a place to work Saturdays and Saturday nights. Address "H. G." care Star. ap 4-1t*

FOR RENT—ONE NICE FURNISHED room, electric lights, telephone, and bath, $5.00 a month. Apply 303 South Second street. ap 4-1t

WANTED TO BUY OLD FEATHER beds for cash. We also make feather mattresses to order. Address "J. W. C." care star. ap 4-1t*

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A NICE FURnished house for the summer see me. F. A. Lord, phone 766. ap 4-1t

GROUND FLOOR OFFICE IN GARrell building for rent. Heat and water free. F. A. Lord, Insurance and Real Estate. ap 4-1t

WE TRUST YOUR ROOF DIDN'T leak last week, but in case it did, we have proper shingles to cure it. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. ap 4-1t

GENUINE ROCKY FORD CANTAloupe seed personally selected from perfectly netted cantaloupes in Colorado last season by W. P. Henley, Johns, N. C. Prices by mail: 2 oz, 25c; half pound, 65c; three or more pounds, $1.00 per pound. ap 3-3t*

DR. D. P. HIGH WISHES TO ANnounce the removal of his office from the Grand building to the Trust building, Front and Market streets; rooms 32 and 33; third floor. ap2-6t

BROOKLYN B. AND L. ASSOCIATION opens its 1st series. April 3rd. Books are now open at 210 Princess st. mh28-8t

OLDEST AND BEST — THE WILmington Homestead and Loan Association. Subscribe now. Pres., J. Hicks Bunting; V.-Pres., John R. Hanby; Sec.-Treas., C. C. Brown; Directors: C. P. Vineberg, W. C. Peterson, J. J. Furlong, J. E. Crowley, W. B. Thorpe, J. H. Hardin, Seig Goodman, H. C. McQueen, F. L. Huggins. New series opens Saturday, April 3rd. mh25-2w

WANTED — TO BUY, PINE LOGS, delivered by rail or water to Angola Lumber Company's mill. J. N. Bryant. mh23-tf

THOUSANDS GOVERNMENT LIFE jobs now obtainable, $65 to $150 per month. Common education sufficient. Wilmington examinations soon. Write immediately for free sample questions and full description. Franklin Institute, Dept. 296C, Rochester, N. Y. mh14-su4t*

TAILORING—I AM NOW PREPARED for the spring trade, with the latest in an elegant line of fashionable suitings and trouserings in the merchant tailoring line. Also other work done pertaining to it. Leger Meyer, The Practical Tailor, Princess Building, second floor. No mail orders. fe 7-su-tf

AGENTS — IF I HAD YOUR NAME, I could show you how to earn $25 to $50 weekly. Greatest seller in years. Over 700,000 sold last six months. Every housewife will buy on sight. Postal brings liberal proposition and free sample. Address "Manufacturer," 1 Union Square, New York. fe14-su-tf

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A FULL LINE OF SHADE TREES, roses and shrubs. Buy home grown fruit trees at The Holland Nurseries, Castle Haynes, N. C. 'Phone 5611. oc17-w,su-tf

YACHT FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE — Fast 60-foot gasoline yacht, equipped with 100 horsepower 6-cylinder engine. All in excellent condition. Hand carved mahogany finish inside. Will trade for Real Estate or sell at a Bargain. Address Frank Allen, Raleigh, N. C. mh28,31;ap4-3t*

FOR SALE QUICK — FIVE SHARES American National Bank stock, at $110.00; worth 125 or more. Dividend July 1st. Need money. Address "Farmer," care Star. ap2,4-2t*

FOR RENT — FURNISHED ROOMS. All modern conveniences. Good neighborhood. Apply 208 South 2nd st. ap2,4-2t*

SAFETY RAZOR BLADES AND DULL razors. Have them honed by hand better than new. Leave 'em at Woodall & Sheppard's. Saw Edge Sanitary Sharpening Co. mh31,w,f,su-3t*

SCISSORS SHARPENED, TOO. SEE that he doesn't forget his Safety blades and razor. Leave 'em at Woodall & Sheppard's. Saw Edge Sanitary Sharpening Co. mh31,w,f,su-3t*

FLOUR, HAY AND GRAIN—CAR-LOT shipments. American distributors Imported Tungsten Electric Lamps. burns three times longer; gives six times more light; saves 70 per cent in current consumption over the old style carbon lamp. Ask for prices. Correspondence solicitcd. J. G. Sizer Co., Richmond, Va. ap 3-4t*

BY ORDER OF THE PUBLISHERS — Beginning with issue dated March 7th, the price of the Hearst's Sunday American will be 5 cents per copy. Gordon Brothers; 'Phone 745. mh4-tf

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NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of the City of Wilmington and the law, and also in pursuance to a resolution passed by the City Council of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, and the City Board of Elections of said City, a Primary Election has been called and ordered to be held in the City of Wilmington on Tuesday, the 20th day of April, A. D. 1915, at the various voting precincts of said city, for the nomination of Candidates for Mayor and Councilmen, or other governing body of said City, to be voted for in the general Municipal Election to be held in said City on Tuesday, the 4th day of May, A. D. 1915. That only the names of the candidates nominated in the Primary Election will be placed upon the official ballot to be voted in the General Municipal Election.

The following precincts, polling places and Registrars and Poll Holders have been established and named for the purpose of holding and conducting said election, to-wit:

First Ward—Election precinct shall include the territory described in the Charter of the City as the First Ward.
Polling Place: Engine house, 4th and Campbell streets.
Registrar: W. H. Howe.
Poll Holders and Judges of Election: Willie Kerr, J. B. Elkins.

Second Ward—Election precinct shall include the territory described in the Charter of the City as the Second Ward.
Polling Place: Police Station, City Hall.
Registrar: W. W. Hodges.
Poll Holders and Judges of Election: E. H. Munson and C. H. Ward.

Third Ward—Election precinct shall include the territory described in the Charter of the City as the Third Ward.
Polling Place: Giblem Lodge, 8th and Princess street.
Registrar: J. R. Davis.
Poll Holders and Judges of Election: Sam Wood and C. C. Bellamy.

Fourth Ward—Election precinct shall include the territory described in the Charter of the City as the Fourth Ward.
Polling Place: McClellan's Stables, 116 Dock street.
Registrar: W. A. Spooner.
Poll Holders and Judges of Election: J. O. Reilly and J. T. Riley.

Fifth Ward—Election precinct shall include the territory described in the Charter of the City as the Fifth Ward.
Polling Place: New Engine House, 5th and Castle streets.
Registrar: R. H. Orrell.
Poll Holders and Judges of Election: S. A. Matthews and I. N. Burriss.

Sixth Ward—Election precinct shall include the territory described in the Charter of the City as the Sixth Ward.
Polling Place: Mann's Store, 17th and Market streets.
Registrar: J. F. Mann.
Poll Holders and Judges of Election: J. H. Womble and A. M. King.

All persons who have registered in the Charter Election to be held in the City need not register again in order to be entitled to vote in said Primary Election. The Registration Books will be opened for the registration of voters in their respective election precincts as required by law; they open for the registration of voters on Friday, the 2nd day of April, 1915, and close on Saturday, the 10th of April, 1915, Sundays excepted. On Saturdays they will be kept open until 9 o'clock P. M. Saturday, the 10th of April, will be also Challenge Day.

Official ballots to be voted in said election will be provided at the polling places as required by law. In the event of a tie vote between any two opposing candidates, not otherwise settled, will be settled in a primary between such two candidates, to be held on the Friday following said Primary Election hereby called.

All electors desiring to vote in said Primary Election must be registered, and the names of the candidates will be published as required by law.

Said election will be conducted as required by law.

By order of the Board of City Elections and City Council of the City of Wilmington.

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